THE WEATHER
Fair tonight and Saturday; slowly rising temperature; fresh westerly winds.

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Sen. Watson Threatens to Slap Face of Army Officer

GRIFFITH TO URGE RATIFICATION

IRISH BONDS ARE "SMILING"

Bonds Issued in Behalf of Irish Freedom Take on New Lustre

Lowell Purchasers Are Much Interested in the Reports From Washington

Every Bond Will be Redeemed After Irish Free State is Established

The bonds and bond certificates which have been issued from time to time on behalf of Irish freedom have suddenly taken on a new and important luster in the eyes of their purchasers throughout the United States as a result of the news from Downing street.

Lowell buyers of the so-called "Irish Republic" bonds, numbering several

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U. S. SEN. REED COUNSEL FOR PELLETIER

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—District Attorney Joseph C. Pelletier today announced that he had retained United States Senator James A. Reed of Missouri as counsel in the proceedings by which Attorney General Allen is attempting to obtain his removal from office.

With Senator Reed, the district attorney held a conference in chambers with Chief Justice Rugg of the supreme court, before which two petitions in the case are pending. It was arranged that Senator Reed would appear later before the full bench to argue in support of Mr. Pelletier's request that the time for hearing be set later than Dec. 19, the date now assigned.

District Attorney Pelletier is charged by the attorney general with various instances of alleged misconduct in office, and in a second petition with alleged improper statements during his campaign for mayor, which he has since abandoned.

MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK INC. 1861 IN LOWELL

JOIN OUR 1922 CHRISTMAS CLUB
Now Open for Membership
The last payment on our 1921 CHRISTMAS CLUB is due this week.

MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK
204 Merrimack St.

CANDY FOR XMAS
CHOCOLATES, CARAMELS AND BONBONS 80c lb
Large Assortment of Hard Candy
We send candy by parcel post.
A. M. Nelson's
— Three Stores —

WAREHOUSE CORPORATION PLANS FOR BIG EXTENSION HERE

New Concern Takes Over Another Mill of the Bigelow-Hartford Plant—List of Industries Chamber of Commerce Helped Locate Here

The Lowell chamber of commerce has just issued a list of the several new and enterprising industries which it has helped to locate in this city during the past year. Each of the business concerns listed below was materially helped in finding suitable building locations with adequate shipping and railroad transportation facilities, and the energy and readiness of the Lowell organization has been attested in full measure by the commercial house whose names were added to the 1921 local industrial calendar.

Notwithstanding the depression and general uncertainty of business conditions all over New England, the close of the year 1921 finds Lowell in somewhat better shape industrially than was the case a year ago, according to reports made by men engaged in the manufacturing of staple goods and machinery in this city.

It has been a year of a good deal of progress in many lines, notwithstanding the backward tendencies of some trade sections. A feature of the year's industrial situation in Lowell has been the advent of several new business concerns, coming here to obtain more advantageous locations for their output. Five or six concerns engaged in the manufacturing of every-day necessities such as worsteds, articles of clothing, shoes, wearing material of

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NOTORIOUS YEGG AND OTHERS FLEE

Tom Slaughter Rules Jail for Five Hours and Offers Liberty to All Who Wanted It

Five of Escaping Party Under Death Sentence—6 Others Facing Death Refused to Go

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Dec. 9.—Tom Slaughter, notorious bandit, under death sentence for killing a trusty guard at the state prison farm at Tucker, escaped from the penitentiary here early today, taking with him six other convicts. For five hours prior to his escape, Slaughter ruled the penitentiary like a czar and offered liberty to all convicts who wanted it.

Five of the men who fled with Slaughter are Negroes. Four of them are under death sentence.

The six Phillips county Negroes under death sentence for participation in the race riots in 1919, refused to escape.

AT CANDYLAND
173 CENTRAL ST.
— And —
Boston Confectionery
218 MERRIMACK ST.
CHRISTMAS SALE OF WONDERFUL BASKETS AND FANCY BOXES
The success of this sale has demonstrated that the public appreciate real values in fine confectionery at Christmas time, just when prices are popularly supposed to be high for this class of merchandise. Lowell's greatest confectioners, Candyland and Boston, are offering quality goods at prices which mean money-saving. Thousands of fancy oriental baskets and boxes to select from, most suitable for gifts to men, women and children.

JOHN J. PICKMAN
Announces the removal of his Law office to 910 Fairburn Bldg., Lowell, Mass.
Tel. 3720 Office; 3213-M. Residence

DISORDERS IN PACKERS' STRIKE

Extra Precautions to Prevent Recurrence of Outbreaks in Packing Centers

Violence in Chicago, St. Paul, St. Louis and Omaha—Baby Shot—Many Injured

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—(By the Associated Press)—Extra precautions to prevent recurrence of disorders were taken by authorities in several of the large packing centers of the middle west today, after the spread of rioting here by strike sympathizers to other towns. The first violence of the strike here and at St. Paul, was followed by outbreaks yesterday in East St. Louis and Omaha. Seven women were among 15 arrested in East St. Louis for participating in demonstrations and a 15 months' old baby was wounded when a volley of shots was fired into the house of a packing house employe in Omaha. Scores of extra police were placed in the trouble zone at Omaha.

A parade of striking plant employes was planned in Kansas City today. Union headquarters announced that 7000 strikers were expected to be in line.

SUPERIOR COURT ADJOURNS

The case of O'Donoghue vs. the Moulded Rubber Co. of Boston, an action of tort by which the plaintiff seeks to recover for the death of his son, whom it is claimed was killed by an automobile owned by the defendant company, in this city, last May, which went to trial at the civil session of the superior court in this city yesterday, was given to the jury this forenoon by Judge Bishop, who later instructed them to return a sealed verdict next Monday morning, until which time the court adjourned.

LADIES
NEW YORK
WHOLESALERS SALE
To Be Sure of Satisfaction Make Sure You Come to the Broadway
Broadway
WHOLESALE MILLINERY CO.
158 Merrimack Street
Directly Opp. Bon Marche

NEAR ROW AT SENATE HEARING

Investigation of Hanging Charges Almost Broke up After Clash Today

Sen. Watson Threatened to Slap Face of Army Officer Sitting in Audience

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The meeting of the senate committee investigating charges by Senator Watson, democrat, Georgia, that soldiers had been illegally hanged in France, almost broke up in a row today after Senator Watson had threatened to slap the face of an army officer sitting in the audience.

Chairman Brandegee of the committee, taking hold of an awkward situation, declared that no person in the room should be insulted.

This statement was made just after Senator Watson walked up close to Major George D. Cochen and, shaking his finger in his face, exclaimed:

"For two pennies, I would slap your face."

"If he looks at me again that way, I will slap his jaws," the Georgia senator declared, adding that he would not remain with the committee to be "bulldozed" by this "bulljawed brute."

"Take your seat, Senator Watson," said Senator Brandegee.

"I'll retire first," he replied.

"Take your seat or retire," the chairman said.

DIVIDEND FOR DEPOSITORS

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—Approximately $3,000,000 will go into the pockets of savings depositors of the Tremont Trust Co., before Christmas, if Bank Commissioner Joseph C. Allen's plans for a 33 1-3 per cent. dividend go through, the commissioner stated today. The company's banks were closed a year ago.

TO PLAN CAROL SINGING

The music committee of the Lowell Community service will hold an important meeting Monday afternoon, December 12, at 4.30 o'clock, when plans for carol singing on Christmas eve will be made and programs selected. Reports of the work of all subcommittees will also be read. Inez Field Damon is chairman.

Electric Light Customers

Customers may very materially assist in avoiding delay in the restoration of their Electric Service if they will carefully examine the entrance pipes or service connections belonging to them where the Electric Lighting Service is attached to their building, and if these pipes or connections are broken, telephone to one of the several wiring contractors in Lowell to have necessary repairs made so that when our line crews are able to reconnect the service, everything will be ready for them.

Substantial progress is being made each day in Lowell, and the work of restoration is going on very systematically and with no unavoidable delays.

Please remember the weather almost wholly governs the speed we will be able to make in restoring Electric Service and each stormy day will delay progress perhaps more than for that particular day.

Should good weather continue, definite progress will be made in Lowell from day to day that will restore a substantial amount of Electric Service during this week, and it is hoped that some time next week work may be begun in outlying towns.

THE LOWELL ELECTRIC LIGHT CORPORATION

Chairman of Plenipotentiaries Who Signed Treaty Will Move For Ratification at Dail Meeting

PROBE KILLING AT KINGSTON INN

Rum-running, Robbery, a Quarrel and a Plot Figure in Story of Shooting

Doctor Says Methuen Man in Dying Statement Suggested Plot

KINGSTON, Dec. 9.—The killing of Elmer Gardner of Methuen at the Kingston inn last night was the subject of inquiry today, in connection with which John Roland, proprietor of the inn, and James W. Wickham of Duxbury, were held as witnesses. The story of the shooting was not entirely clear to the investigators, who obtained several different accounts, in some of which rum-running, robbery, a quarrel and a plot figured. Roland and Wickham were taken to Plymouth for further questioning.

The suggestion of a plot to kill him came from Gardner himself in a dying statement, according to Dr. Charles Dudley, who attended him. The wounded man told him, the physician said, that he had been summoned to the inn and soon after he got there, was shot. He did not name his assailant.

Dr. Dudley said he was called to attend Gardner by Roland, who said the

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ALDERMAN IS ARRESTED

Bridgeport Official Held on Charge of Bribing in Connection With Election

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Dec. 9.—Alderman Edward T. Hamilton was there this afternoon arrested by Superintendent of Police Flanagan on a warrant charging bribery in connection with an attempt to elect David W. Price president of the common council at the council meeting last Monday evening. The warrant was served at the instance of Prosecuting Attorney Earle Garlick. Bonds of $5000 were fixed for his release pending his appearance in the superior court, but have not yet been posted.

FIRE ALARMS

A telephone alarm was sent in at 5.43 o'clock this morning for fire in a barrel of sawdust in the rear of 716 Lakeview avenue. At 5.35 o'clock yesterday afternoon an alarm was sounded for a slight blaze in an automobile in Fairmount street.

EXPECT FRANCE TO APPROVE PLAN

Acceptance of Quadruple Agreement for Pacific Considered Certain

Officials and Press Pleased at Idea of France's Participation in This Accord

PARIS, Dec. 9.—(By the Associated Press)—France's acceptance of the quadruple agreement for the Pacific is considered certain in official circles, although the draft received from M. Viviani of the French delegation in Washington only this forenoon, is regarded as a suggested outline and not a perfected plan.

Action here upon the agreement is expected very shortly.

Official circles, as well as the press, have received with the greatest satisfaction, the idea of France's participation in this accord.

PROPOSE WAGE CUTS ON RAILROADS

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Schedules proposing wage cuts from 10 to 30 per cent. for train service, shop and maintenance of way employes of railroad lines north of the Ohio and east of the Mississippi were formulated today at a conference of managers and supervising officials. The reductions, which would take effect late this month, must be submitted to the railroad labor board for rejection or approval.

The official said the roads would begin separate conferences with their employes early next week on the proposed pay cuts.

KELLEHER ELECTED CAPTAIN OF B. C.

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—The Boston college football team today elected as its captain for next year, William Kelleher of Cambridge. Kelleher, a fullback, succeeds John Heaphy of Beverly, who resigned with the explanation that he did not feel that he should accept the captaincy because he took no part in the games this fall.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY DE VALERA

Says Move for Ratification Will Not be Made as Cabinet Decision

De Valera's Repudiation of Treaty Overshadows Other Developments

London Officials Confident Griffith and Collins Will be Upheld

Release of Irish Prisoners From Internment Camps Not to be Halted

DUBLIN, Dec. 9.—(By the Associated Press)—The ratification of the treaty between Ireland and Great Britain will be moved at the Dail Eireann meeting next Wednesday by Arthur Griffith, as chairman of the plenipotentiaries, it was announced today by President De Valera, in a statement issued by the Dail publicity department.

It would not be moved as a cabinet decision, added the statement, because the views of the delegates differed from those of certain members of the cabinet.

London Optimistic

LONDON, Dec. 9.—(By the Associated Press)—Repudiation by Eamon de Valera of the agreement reached between the British and Irish plenipotentiaries for the establishment of the Irish Free State and the resultant split in the Dail Eireann, have completely overshadowed all other developments of the situation.

The receipt of this news immediate-

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N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Exchanges, $707,000,000; balances, $77,000,000.

BOSTON, Dec. 9—The Boston clearing for today was 47,000,000 and the balances $11,000,000.

DOWN GO THE PRICES
— IN —
Shoe Repairing
M. SHWARTZ
24 PRESCOTT STREET
Has installed the latest Goodyear shoe repair machines in the basement of his Sample Shoe Store. PRE-WAR PRICES—
Men's and Women's Whole Sole and Rubber Heels - A $2.50 job for $1.25
One-Half Sole, Sewed and Nailed, Rubber Heels—A $2.00 job for $1.00
Rubber Heels (all makes), 40¢ | Ladies' ..... 35¢
WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED

Thompson Rallies
TONIGHT
7.30—LINCOLN SQUARE
8.00—ODD FELLOWS HALL, BRIDGE ST.
8.45—LAKEVIEW AVE. and AIKEN ST.
PERRY D. THOMPSON,
Advertisement. 155 Andover St.

THIS WEEK
DEPOSITS GO ON INTEREST
Open an Account.
Increase Your Account.
ASSETS $17,650,042.71
at the rate of 5%
Last four dividends
CITY INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS
174 CENTRAL STREET

SALE AT NOTRE DAME ACADEMY

The annual sale of the Notre Dame Alumnae association is being held today and will be continued tomorrow at Notre Dame academy.

HOLDS MEETING TODAY

The advisory council of the Massachusetts state chambers of commerce is holding a meeting this afternoon in Boston. Secretary Wells of the Lowell body, attended the business session and alcso the luncheon at 12.30.

CHRISTMAS SALE

A continuance of the three days' Christmas sale, held under the auspices of St. Michael's Charity guild last week, was held yesterday afternoon and evening in the guild hall on Sixth street. The same women in charge last week conducted yesterday's sale.

FIRE IN GARAGE

The alarm from box 42 early last evening was for a blaze in the rear of a garage in Lincoln street. The quick work of the firemen prevented the blaze from spreading and from causing any serious damage.

Warehouse Corporation Plans

Continued

different lines and paper boxes, have sought and obtained splendid quarters with full lighting, power and machinery equipment, and opportunities have been found for Lowell labor that has aided in lowering the unemployment records.

Among the new industries brought to Lowell the past year, largely through the efforts of the chamber of commerce, which produced testimony as to Lowell's fine location as a point for shipping goods as well as for securing labor, were the Peabody Shoe Co., which is to start business in the Burgess-Lang building on Middlesex street; the Lowell Public Warehouse corporation, Market street; Park Worsted mills, Market street; Stern Brothers, 116 Fletcher street; Conant Houghton & Co., Market street, and the Box Board Products Co., Inc., Market street.

Warehouse Corporation

Expansion is the motto of the Lowell Public Warehouse corporation on Market street. This new concern, which only began mercantile storage operations in the heart of the city last July, under the auspices of a wide-awake management and with prospects of doubling its business, is now planning to jump into the New Year prosperity column full speed ahead.

President and General Manager William G. Cish of the new company, in his office in the New Bedford Public warehouse this morning, told a Sun reporter that arrangements had been completed for the immediate occupancy of mill No. 2 of the Bigelow-Hartford "group," and a little later No. 3 building right close by will be taken over.

President Welsh said building No. 8, the first of the group inspected, was now getting too small for the new business coming in since last fall. With the opening this week of No. 2 building, the storage facilities for the cotton mills of Lowell will be tripled in size.

The main office of the storage company is in No. 8 building, and this will remain where it is. President Welsh said he was glad to see business better in some of the larger mills, and he is ready to do what he can to provide adequate storage facilities in Lowell.

Other New Concerns

The plans of the new shoe company coming into the Burgess-Lang building have already been outlined in The Sun. The chamber of commerce played a large part in getting this concern to come to Lowell.

The business of Stern Bros., under the very capable management of Morris Press, is progressing satisfactorily, with promises of new business orders in the late winter and early spring that will keep this concern busy for a long time to come. Mr. Press, in describing present business conditions in the hat and cap industry said:

"The demand for high-grade, expensive caps is no longer coming, so we are compelled to make them a little more along medium lines, although good wearing quality is always in demand. We are now receiving orders through our three road solicitors, for what we call "mediums," selling at retail for something like $1.50. The demand for Irish-made caps and other imported headgear has fallen off heavily, and we are getting more business on that account, although goods must be fairly low priced. There has been an over-production, but many of the hold-over goods have been generally cleaned up, and now orders are coming in in fair quantities, these storekeepers buying from 'hand to mouth,' so to speak. And yet that method of buying is sure to keep our industry moving regularly, and we feel that we made no mistake in coming to Lowell, and appreciate the courtesies than have been extended to us by Lowell citizens since we came here. You can say, for me, that we are not sorry we made the change."

The Conant, Houghton & Co., with headquarters in Littleton, Mass., where their main factory is located came to Lowell last June, obtaining plenty of space in one section of the Bigelow-Hartford group. Business at the present time is "very fair" in narrow stripe fabrics, the manager said yesterday. About 25 men are employed on the local webbing machines now. The concern is pleased with its Lowell location and has nothing but good to say of the treatment it has received here since the new plant was opened.

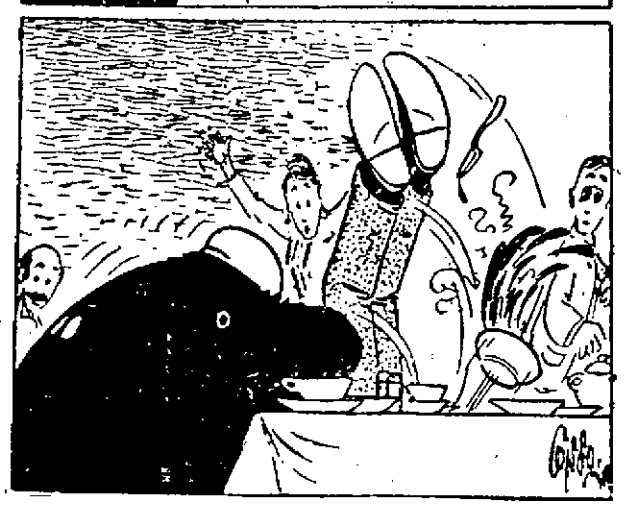
Business at the Box Board Products' company is going along without any increase in trade orders, but the concern has no doubt of future business. It was said yesterday that small orders are coming in regularly and machines are busy most of the time filling hurry orders. The concern is incorporated and occupies one of the top floors of the Bigelow-Hartford plant.

Park Worsted Mill

At the Park Worsted mill business was reported as but little improved, owing to the conditions of the raw goods market. There has been but small demand for weaving yarns, although the spinning industry has improved.

The outlook in October was good for a time, but with wools now creeping upward in cost and common yarns remaining stagnant, the opportunity has not arrived for very profitable operations at any plant handling exclusively this kind of material in its mill departments. The Park Mills, however, are optimistic and believe that the New Year has some surprises in store for the weaving industry, and they are real optimists at the Park plant.

EVERETT TRUE



Second Floor **The Bon Marché** DRY GOODS CO. Take Elevators

Special Coat Sale

A Manufacturer of Fine Coats Overstocked.

We selected forty-three fine **BOLIVIA COATS** and made him, as he said, a ridiculous offer, but for cash he accepted it—and they will be on sale Saturday Morning at about wholesale prices.

COATS Worth $65.00 to $79.50

Special Sale Price $49.50

Coats trimmed with beaver, extra fine nutria, wolf and Australian opossum. We hope we will be able to offer values like these for our January sale.

COME EARLY FOR FIRST SELECTION

Our Big Xmas Sale of Silk Petticoats

Over one thousand Silk Petticoats, milinaise jersey, kayser silk jersey, changeable taffeta, changeable peau de cygne and satin. Priced—

$1.98 to $10

Our Big Special Purchase

A large manufacturer of fine petticoats wished to turn his stock into cash. We bought **Over One Thousand Silk Petticoats.** They are on sale at wholesale prices.

$1.98 Changeable taffeta flounce petticoats, extra size, best quality.

$2.85 Chiffon Changeable Taffeta Petticoats, also novelty changeable silk, all the best changeable shades.

$3.85 Kayser silk jersey top with changeable peau de cygne flounce, also all changeable taffeta in extra sizes, all the best shades.

Big Showing of Exclusive Silk Negligees

Padded Silk Robes, Beautiful Changeable Taffeta Breakfast Coats, Pullman Robes, and Slipover Negligees. Over two hundred beautiful Silk Robes for the holidays—

$4.98, $5.98, $9.98, $12.98 to $25.00

We believe this is without doubt the greatest showing of fine Negligees and Robes ever shown in Lowell.

BREAKFAST ROBES

Special—One Hundred Changeable Taffeta Silk Novelty Negligees and Breakfast Robes—

$4.98 and $5.98

These are a special purchase and made to sell for double these prices.

An Invitation

TO THE LOVERS OF ART NEEDLEWORK

It is a pleasure for us to announce that our stock of Madeira Hand Made Embroideries is the most complete in the city. We have installed new facilities that enable our customers to examine the goods more conveniently.

An invitation is therefore extended to the ladies of Lowell and vicinity to come and inspect this beautiful merchandise.

We take this opportunity to caution our customers against some cheap merchandise that is being sold under the name of "Madeira." Be mindful of the old proverb "Not all that glitters is gold."

We guarantee every piece of merchandise sold under the name "Madeira" to be imported by us from Madeira and therefore genuine.

P. SOUSA & CO.

99-103 GORHAM ST.—Across from Opera House

The Oldest Dry Goods Store on Gorham St.

Open Every Night Except Thursdays.

A Gift She'll Use Every Single Day

An Electric Coffee Percolator

—and many times twice or three times a day, because coffee is so quickly and deliciously made the Electric Way right at the dining table.

The Electric Coffee Percolator, besides being one of the most useful and practical presents you could give, is decidedly ornamental and makes an attractive piece of dining room equipment that any housewife would be proud of.

Surprise her with an Electric Coffee Percolator and see how pleased she will be.

The Lowell Electric Light Corp.

29-31 MARKET ST. TEL. 821

The Home of the Best in Things Electrical

A Picture or Mirror

Makes a beautiful gift because it lasts a lifetime. Our prices are no higher at Christmas than any other time of the year.

ASK MOTHER, SHE KNOWS

Maker's Picture Shop

New Location — 147 MIDDLE ST. — Opp. Fire Station

Right in the Shopping District. E. FLORENCE MAKER DUNHAM

C.B.COBURN CO.

HEARTH BRUSHES

(For The Fireplace)

These useful and ornamental dusting brushes are made of pure bristle with fancy handles.

Brushes in five different colors, each $3.00

Black Bristle $2.25

Free City Delivery

C. B. Coburn Co.

63 MARKET ST.

C.B.COBURN CO.

UNION MARKET

Our Special Week End Sale

YOUR EVERY NEED

The kind of a store that deserves your steady patronage is the one that always has exactly what you want whenever you want it. We try to anticipate all the needs of our many customers and then supply quality goods at the most reasonable prices possible. This store is for all—and everybody is welcome always, no matter how small the purchase. Pleased customers become regular customers. That's why our business grows. Your dollar buys more value and greater satisfaction here than elsewhere.

Extra Big shipment of **WESTERN STAR LOINS PORK** just arrived direct from packers. From 8 to 10 lbs., a fine Roast and a good dinner.

Extra Big shipment of **FANCY KENTUCKY LAMBS.** A choice lot. Fresh goods. Direct to you. A prize for any table.

Fresh Shoulders 15c lb.

Lean, Good Roasters

NATIVE PORK, Lb. 15c

Sweet Pickled SHOULDERS, lb. 18c

HEAVY SALT PORK, lb. 15c

FRESH PIGS' HEAD, lb. 10c

FANCY CUT **Round Steak lb. 25c**

Fresh Fish!

FRESH SALMON, best in the swim, Pound 20c

Fresh Shell Clams, pk. 35¢
Fresh East. Halibut, lb. 35¢
Clams, open, pint ..... 20¢
Shore Haddock, lb. .... 12¢

Oysters in shell, doz. 25¢
Oysters, open, pt. ..... 35¢
Perch, Carp, Mackerel, Pickerel, Flounders, Live Lobsters

UNION MARKET

Hundreds of Our Customers SAY King Wheat Flour Is the Best

They actually brought in a sample of their baking to prove their statement. We wish to thank these customers for taking such an interest in this new flour. Also we want to congratulate them for being such good bread makers. The way to a man's heart is through his stomach, girls. Buy this flour and then "feed him."

⅛ Barrel $1.13 | ½ Barrel $4.49 | Wood Barrel $10.00

PURE LARD Lb. 14c

SEEDLESS RAISINS, pkg. ... 20c

PEAS, Fancy June Can 12½c

FANCY PRUNES Lb. 12c

SEEDED RAISINS Pkg. 20c

MAPLE SYRUP Pure, gallon .. $2.25

A BORAX WASHING SOAP ..... 14 Bars 49c

(Limit one lot to a customer.)

The Magnet of Middlesex Street

WE BUY DIRECT

COMMUNITY CHEST TO AID VETS

By N.E.A. Service

CINCINNATI, Dec. 9.—The Community Chest of this city is expected to observe Forget-Me-Not Day December 17 by contributing a large sum to the fund for the Disabled American Veterans of the World War, for whose benefit Forget-Me-Not Day movements are being organized all over the country.

The Community Chest already has given more than $10,000 for the activities of the local chapter of the disabled veterans' organization.

Half the sum collected in any community is to be applied directly to the relief of local disabled men and administered through the local Red Cross. The other half is to be used for the disabled veterans of the nation, through their organization.

Laces to join leather belting for machinery are made from sturgeon skins.

COULDN'T TURN IN BED WITHOUT HELP

Providence Woman Hasn't a Trace of Rheumatism Left Since Taking Tanlac.

"I know it sounds unreasonable, but it's the truth, three weeks ago, when I began taking Tanlac, I was confined to my bed with rheumatism and could not turn over without help; but I now feel as well as I ever did in my life and have been down town shopping for the first time in many months," was the truly remarkable statement made recently, by Mrs. Delia Guay, of 192 Manton ave., Providence, R. I.

"The rheumatism had such a grip on me that I could hardly move at all and no matter what position I assumed I was in constant pain. My muscles were so stiff and sore I could not walk across the room. My pains were so severe as to take away all my appetite and I ate so little and suffered so much that I often wonder how I lived. My arms hurt so bad I couldn't raise my hands to my head and sleep was almost impossible for me. I was extremely nervous and getting worse so fast that my friends were uneasy about my condition.

"I have taken two bottles each of Tanlac and the Tanlac Rheumatic Treatment now and can get around with almost as much speed and ease as my daughter. I believe the rheumatism is gone for good for I don't feel a touch of it any more. I have never had a better appetite or got more pleasure from eating than I do now. I sleep as peacefully as a child at night and get up in the mornings with a song on my lips. My gratitude to Tanlac is unbounded."

Tanlac and Tanlac Vegetable Pills are sold in Lowell by Green's drug store under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative; by Wright Drug Co., Billerica, Mass.; A. D. Falls, Chelmsford, Mass.; Snow's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and by the leading druggist in every town.—Adv.

AIRPLANE "EXHIBIT A" IN AVIATION AFFINITY DIVORCE SUIT

Whether Couple Could Spoon While Soaring in the Clouds Is Principal Question in First Airplane Divorce Case

ABOVE MRS. ELLA BROCKMAN; BELOW, MR. AND MRS. CHARLES F. CRUMP.

BY ROY GIBBONS

COLUMBUS, Ind., Dec. 9.—Can a man make love in an airplane?

This is the most important question to be decided in the coming trial of Columbus' airplane divorce case—the first in American courts. The parties to the suit are:

CHARLES F. CRUMP, 47, wealthy business man and sportsman.

Mrs. Margaret Crump, 42, the mother of two grown daughters.

Mrs. Ella Brockman, 40, well-to-do widow with three children.

Mrs. Crump charges Mrs. Brockman with being her husband's airplane affinity.

Crump among other enterprises is interested in an airplane business. Also he has an airplane. And it has been his custom to take friends aviating. Mrs. Crump complains that he took Mrs. Brockman aloft more often than was in keeping with conventions.

She objects not only because he took Mrs. Brockman flying, but because he frequently made Mrs. Brockman's country estate his landing field.

The last time Crump and Mrs. Brockman came down from the clouds they were met by a deputy sheriff, who served them with papers in Mrs. Crump's suit for divorce and suit for $25,000 from Mrs. Brockman for alienation of affections.

Happy Until Airplane Entered

"We were happy until Charlie took up aviating," says Mrs. Crump. "That flying machine was bird of prey—a vulture; it swooped down on our happiness and snatched it away.

"If wives heed my advice, they will keep their husbands out of airplanes lest they turn into love birds. A husband at home is worth two in an airplane seeking the silver lining in the clouds with another woman."

But Crump and Mrs. Brockman firmly deny Mrs. Crump's charge of "too familiar a friendship." They say there is absolutely no foundation for her charges.

Crump has filed a counter-suit, charging his wife with having a jealous disposition and being cruel, causing him great distress of mind.

"Well, if I were jealous, didn't I have justification?" demands Mrs. Crump.

The airplane is likely to be made "Exhibit A" in the case. For Crump's attorneys point out that such is its construction that when Crump was flying it he had no time for anything else.

"His hands and feet were occupied with the controls," it is pointed out, "and the noise of the engine and propeller is so great that love whispers were out of the question. Any term of endearment would have to be yelled, if it were to be heard, and who is going to screech out such words, say, as 'darling?' The idea's preposterous!"

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Harry Batz and Miss Anna E. V. McCarron, formerly of this city and now of Hartford, Conn., were married recently at St. Peter's church, Hartford. The bridesmaid was a sister of the bride, Miss Agnes A. McCarron, while the best man was Mr. Mark. The couple will make their home in Hartford.

Graves—Tilton

The marriage of Mr. Thomas M. Graves of Dracut and Miss Mildred A. Tilton of North Chelmsford took place Nov. 23 at the parsonage of the Fifth Street Baptist church, the officiating clergyman being Rev. G. B. Marston.

AT GRACE CHURCH

There was a large attendance on the second night of the fair of the Grace Universalist church last evening, and all present thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment that was given, while they were very liberal with their patronage of the various tables and booths. Over 200 sat around the festive board in the early part of the evening and those in charge of the event predict that the fair will net over $1200. Last evening's program consisted of a delightful operetta, "Penelope," which was ably presented by Mrs. R. E. Robertson, Mrs. K. G. Brown, Wesley Boynton, Arthur F. Woodies and Winthrop Bartlett.

LADIES VERY IMPORTANT
NEW YORK WHOLESALERS' MILLINERY SALE
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NEGROES FOUND GUILTY

Dies, Gomes and Andrews Convicted of Assault Upon Miss Butler

NEW BEDFORD, Dec. 9.—John Dies, Benjamin Gomes and Joseph Andrews, the three Brava youths, of Onset, were found guilty of assault upon Miss Gertrude Butler of Buzzards bay by a jury in the superior court at 12.30 this morning after deliberating nearly ten hours.

The crime was committed near Bourne on Cape Cod on the night of Aug. 15, while Miss Butler and William Eldredge, her escort, were walking home from a dance.

They were held up by the trio and forced into an automobile at the point of revolvers and taken to a lonely spot where Miss Butler was attacked while Eldridge was covered by a revolver.

A near lynching followed the arrest of the men, a mob of Cape Cod residents attempting to rush the jail at Wareham where the youths were taken. Another mob threatened to attempt to secure the prisoners after their transfer to Barnstable for arraignment and state troops were sent to preserve order and a heavy guard maintained during the preliminary hearing there.

The request of defense counsel for a change of venue was granted and the trial ordered in this city.

To Relieve Catarrh, Catarrhal Deafness And Head Noises

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness, or who are growing hard of hearing and have head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can usually be successfully treated at home by an internal medicine that in many instances has effected complete relief after other treatments have failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear. Therefore, if you know of someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrhal deafness, cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Parmint (Double Strength.) Take this home and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

Parmint is used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian Tubes, and thus to equalize the air pressure on the drum, but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are nearly always quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in any form, or distressing rumbling, hissing sounds in their ears, should give this recipe a trial.—Adv.

LIFE INSURANCE FROM BANKER'S VIEWPOINT

J. Harry Boardman, cashier of the Old Lowell National bank, featured the monthly meeting of the Lowell Life Insurance Underwriters' association yesterday afternoon with a carefully prepared paper on "Life Insurance from the Banker's Viewpoint." The meeting was held in the John Hancock agency rooms with President Henry A. Smith in the chair and was well attended. Others who spoke were Dr. Harry Sumner, whose topic was "The Examiner and the Agent," Mr. Howard A. Corey of the Sheldon salesmanship department of Burdett college, whose address was on "The Value of a Man," and Mr. George H. Spellman, local superintendent of the John Hancock Co., who spoke on "The Value of Accumulated Dividends."

Mr. Boardman's address covered many insurance matters including the matter of banking loans and the distribution of funds. He declared that life insurance had become one of the most important assets of the borrower from the viewpoint of the banker. During the last business depression many banks refused even collateral loans without the additional security of life insurance policies. Not infrequently banks find themselves with doubtful, slow loans. To protect their interests, they sometimes persuade borrowers to take out life insurance policies, and in not a few cases the banks themselves are obliged to pay all premiums. These premiums are a business expense and are so deducted from the bank's earnings.

Mr. Boardman gave instances of transactions made by banks to protect themselves from losing money loaned to those who were sometimes unable to repay in the usual channels. More than once, he said, the life insurance carried by a borrower has paid all the loans in full, although death had to interfere in order to secure the insurance money. But the insurance policy acted as a protection for the bank which loaned the money and which could not be paid back in any other way.

"Life insurance strengthens the credit of the borrower at the bank, prevents the calling of loans or curtailing of discount at a partner's death and is the quickest, cleanest asset of a man's estate," said Mr. Boardman. At one time or another almost every man has periods of prosperity and adversity. A man entering a new business should for the purpose of establishing credit, take out a modern life insurance policy. Not alone does it furnish ideal protection to his beneficiaries, but it protects him and his interests and his bank, and is a constant aid to increase his success. A rising vote of thanks was extended to all the speakers.

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The nicest cathartic-Laxative in the world to physic your liver and bowels when you have Dizzy Headache, Colds, Biliousness, Indigestion, or Upset, Acid Stomach, is candy-like "Cascarets." One or two tonight will empty your bowels completely by morning, and you will feel splendid. "They work while you sleep." Cascarets never stir you up or gripe like Salts, Pills, Calomel, or Oil and they cost only ten cents a box. Children love Cascarets, too.—Ad

MAKING HEALTH WORK FUN

Knocking down disease is one of the games sponsored by New York City. The puppets on the rack are named Tuberculosis, Measles and other diseases. Great sport with a great moral for the kiddies.

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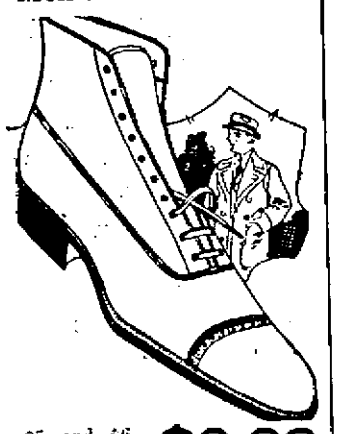

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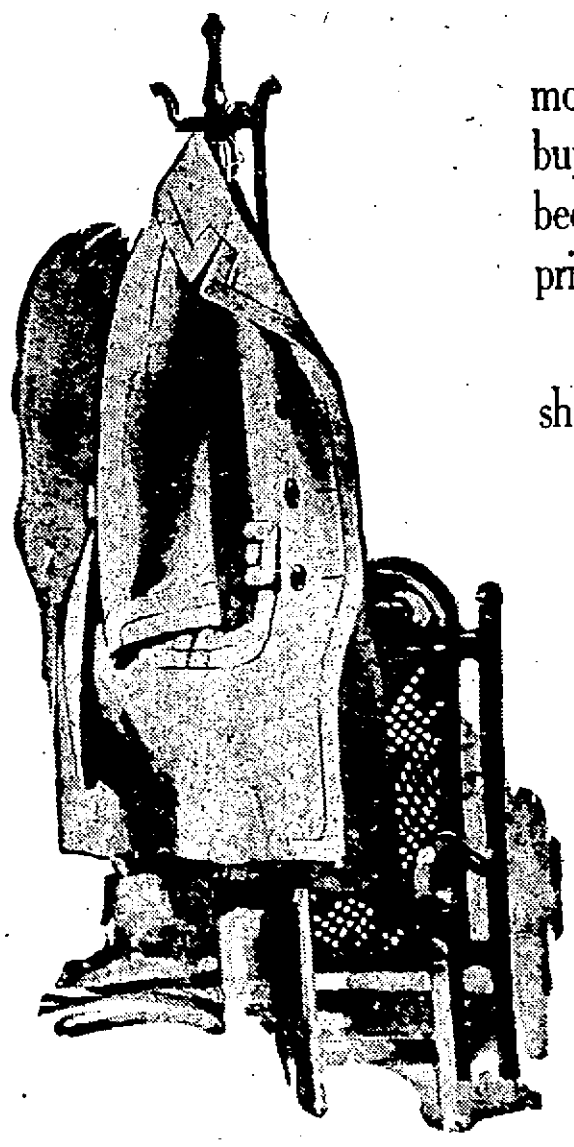

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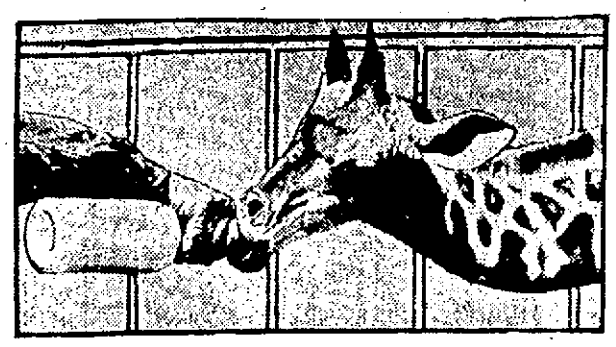

WHAT ONE WILL DO FOR A DRINK !

No animal carries its head higher than the giraffe. Now Sigmund, this baby giraffe who lives in Berlin, is just as proud as they come. But pride bends to hunger. And what a lot there is to bend!

"I never took anything in my life I got so much good from"

Further Wonderful Testimony to the Extra-ordinary Virtues of Wincarnis

The following letter we have received from Mrs. Richard Ford, of 45 Lincoln avenue, Cohoes, New York, will bring encouragement to all those who may be suffering as Mrs. Ford suffered. This lady writes:

"I was very much run down and feeling real miserable. I caught one cold after another, which kept me coughing and coughing. I was very nervous and irritable. Every little thing set my nerves on edge. My appetite was poor and I wasted down to almost nothing. I was pale and looked simply bloodless.

"I decided to try Wincarnis and it certainly benefited me. I never took anything in my life I got so much good from. It is very strengthening indeed and does certainly help pale and bloodless people.

"I shall always be glad to praise the merits of Wincarnis and if anyone wishes to write me personally I will be glad to answer all questions regarding what it has done for me."

Don't think that Mrs. Ford's case is an unusual one. Wincarnis will positively benefit people who are weak, anaemic, nervous or run-down. Just as it helped Mrs. Ford regain strength and vitality, so it will help you.

If only sufferers could read some of the thousands of letters we receive from all parts of the world from people who have been benefited in health by taking Wincarnis, they would not delay another day in giving Wincarnis a thorough trial.

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Write for free instructive booklet, "Hundred Per Cent. Health. How to Obtain It," to Edward Lassere, Inc., Dept. D. 400 West 23d st, New York, U. S. Agent for Wincarnis.—Adv.

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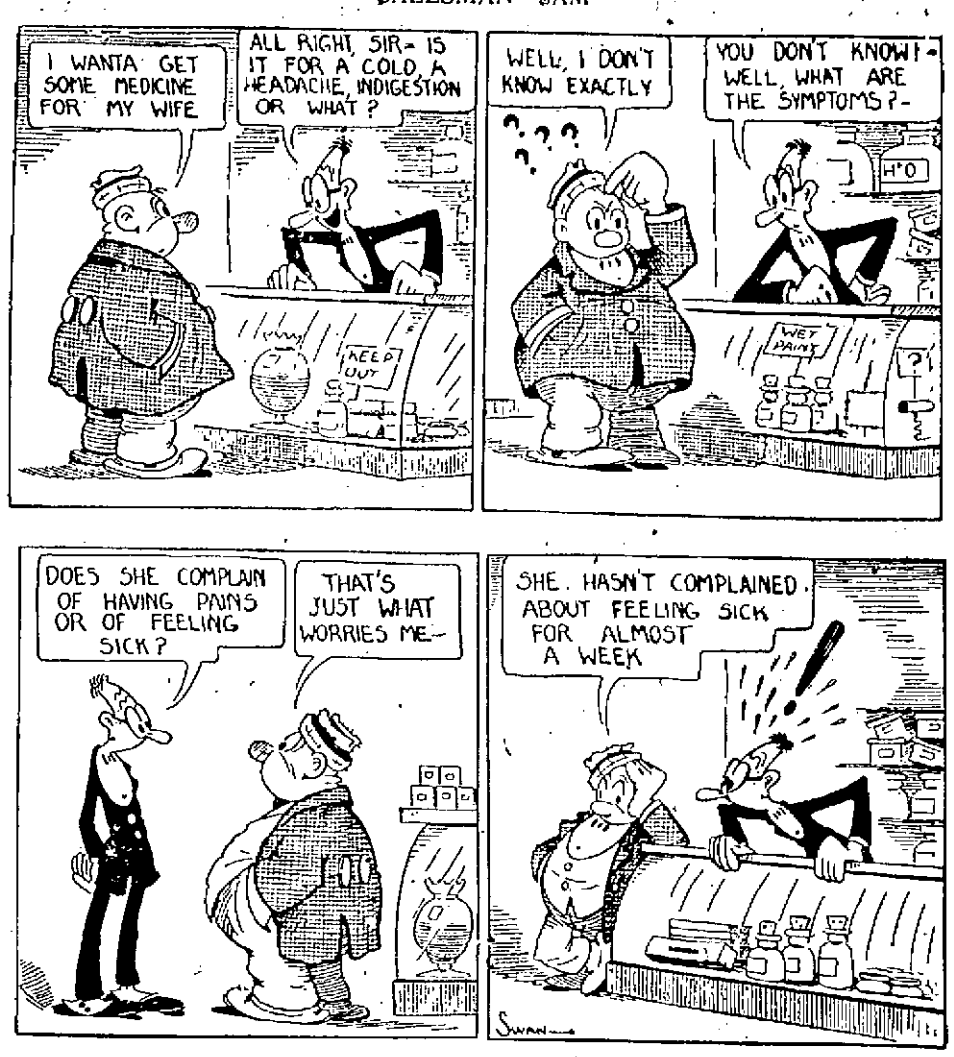

Adventures of the Twins

"KIP, THE BROWNIE"

INSTANTLY ALL THE UGLY GNOMES WERE STRUGGLING AND SCUFFLING AFTER THEIR LEADER.

The twins turned in surprise when they heard a voice urging them not to follow the gnomes. The gnomes, you know, had gone in a body to hunt for Kip, the Brownie. But the children were still more surprised when they discovered that the voice belonged to a small dwarf entirely different from the gnomes. This small person had mischievous, twinkling eyes and a snubby nose and lump legs like Pim Pim of the Brownies.

"Who are you?" asked Nick.

"Sh!" exclaimed the little fellow, putting his finger over his lips. "I'm Kip."

"Kip!" cried both twins, too astonished to remember his warning.

Kip made a despairing gesture with his arms. "If you don't keep quiet we'll all be in trouble, instead of one of us. Look here, I found the key. That's where I've been, hunting for it under the coal in Crookabone's cellar. When I found it I also found a secret way out, through one of Mike Mole's hallways. Come along. We'll go back to Pim Pim at once."

"Why, we thought you didn't like Mr. Pim Pim!" whispered Nancy. "Why did you steal the key to the enchanted cupboard and give it to Crookabone to hide?"

"Because I was foolish and a goose as well," answered Kip. "I guess I was jealous of him, but anyway I only did it for a joke. I never thought these gnomes were so wicked."

"How did you find out?" asked Nick.

"I'll tell you later," answered Kip. "We must get out of this at once. Come on, I know the magic words that will open the gate into the secret passage back to Brownieland."

When the three of them reached the gate, Kip said, "Portal swing and open wide, and in your passage let us hide."

With a creak it swung open. The cat's-eye suddenly glared red.

"A NEW FRIEND"

When Nick asked where Crookabone lived he was told "across the street from the chimneysweep, and next door to the toymaker." And when he asked where the toymaker lived he was told "across the street from the chimneysweep and next door to Crookabone."

When he asked how big Crookabone's cellar was, he was told to "multiply the length by the width, and the ceiling was as far above the floor as the floor was below the ceiling."

He tried once more. "Where's Kip?" he asked, just as Nancy had done. "Above his shoes!" came the answer at once. And of course the gnome who said it thought that he was telling the truth. But something happened. The cat's eye over the gate that had been glaring down at them with a baleful green light, suddenly turned pink and then red. Crookabone jumped to his feet. "That's not the truth, Jigabump," he said, "so you'll have to give Nick a forfeit. That cat's eye says so. If Kip isn't above his shoes, something has happened. Either he is hurt or he is bending over. If he is hurt, we must help him, and if he is bending over, that means that he is hunting for the key to the Enchanted Cupboard hidden under the coal in my cellar. And he mustn't find it. Come on, gnomes, come one, come all," and Crookabone blew a shrill blast on his whistle.

Instantly all the ugly gnomes were struggling and scuffling after their leader, leaving Nancy and Nick alone in the middle of Gnome Village. The cat's eye had turned green again and gave the only light visible in this underground place.

"Let's follow!" whispered Nick.

"No, don't," said a new voice at their elbow.

(To Be Continued)

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PRACTICAL FIFTH-AVE. WRAP BY MARIAN HALE

NEW YORK, Dec. 7—Wrappy garments which take unto themselves great bands of fur are seen with increasing frequency on Fifth avenue.

This Bandler wrap, built on extremely loose lines, has a huge collar which fits well up at the throat.

The convenience of the easily slipped-on wrap is so apparent that such a garment has become an almost necessary part of every wardrobe.

Worn over a suit they add the necessary warmth on cold days and yet permit the wearer to appear at the tearoom table at the conclusion of an afternoon's shopping, in her smartly tailored suit.

ENDS UNIQUE CAREER IN AMERICAN POLITICS

HONOLULU, T. H., Dec. 9—(By Mail)—The decision of Prince Jonah Kuhio (Cupid) Kalaninaole against being a candidate again for the position of Hawaiian delegate to congress, after twenty years' consecutive service, will bring to an end—so far as main land activities are concerned—a career unique in the annals of American politics.

Prince of the royal blood of Hawaii, educated abroad, attendant at the native monarch's court, a political prisoner for one year following the attempt to regain the throne for Queen Liliuokalani after the republic of Hawaii had been declared, and delegate from the islands to congress for ten successive terms, the genial prince, who has long been a picturesque figure at Washington has decided to forsake the glamor of life at the national capital, "in order that I may best serve my own people," by serving on the Hawaiian homes commission, established by congress in an effort to rehabilitate the dying Hawaiian race.

The life of the prince has been replete with incidents that breathe of the romance that tinges the shores of his native isles. He was born in 1873 at Kapaa, island of Kauai. His father was the High Chief David Kahalepouli Piikoi, a descendant of the King of Kauai, the last of the independent monarchs to be overcome by Kamehameha the great, who consolidated the islands into the kingdom of Hawaii and became its first ruler. Prince Kuhio's mother was the Princess Kinoiki Kekaulike, sister of Queen Kapiolani, the consort of King Kalakaua. Kuhio's elder brother was the Prince David Kawananakoa, who died in San Francisco in 1908.

Kuhio and his brother were brought up in the court of King Kalakaua, the "merry monarch" of Hawaii. Kuhio attended school here and at St. Matthew's college at San Mateo, Cal. Later he was a student at the Royal Agricultural school in England and also took a course at a business college in the United States.

Later he spent a year in Japan as the guest of the Japanese government. King Kalakaua was credited with a secret desire that Kuhio might marry a princess of Japan, which would strengthen the position of the Hawaiian monarch. The desire, if held, came to naught, however.

While in prison he was secretly engaged to Elizabeth Kahanu Kaleiwohi-Kaauwai, the present princess, who visited him in prison every day and brought him food. About a year after his release, they were married and toured the world for two years.

Now, with his twenty years of service in congress behind him, with the first Hawaiian settlers about to take up homesteads in accordance with the rehabilitation act, the prince is living quietly with the princess in his home upon the site of Queen Liliuokalani's former beach castle, by the sea at Waikiki, with the ocean surf booming against the shore scarcely ten yards from his windows.

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HORSE CUTS THROAT ON WINDOW OF AUTO

WHITMAN, Dec. 8—A peculiar accident occurred Wednesday evening on South Washington street, near the East Bridgewater line, in which a horse, an automobile, a buggy and a man participated. The horse was killed, the automobile damaged, and the buggy smashed, but the man escaped injury.

A. W. Swan of East Bridgewater started out from his home with his horse and buggy for the Whitman business center. When near the residence of Everett N. Freeman on South Washington street, he stopped and led the horse to Mr. Freeman's yard, hitching the animal by means of an old-fashioned weight.

Ralph M. Stevens of Bedford street was driving toward Whitman in his limousine, when suddenly a horse's head smashed through the glass window on the left side of the car. A hole was torn in the top of the car and Mr. Stevens was sprinkled with blood and glass.

It was later ascertained that the horse became uneasy and started for the street with the weight hitched to his head and drawing the buggy. The weight caught in a tree, and then the horse started and smashed the buggy. The horse next galloped to the center of the street and piled into Mr. Stevens' car.

The jagged glass in the broken window caught the horse in the throat and severed the jugular vein. The blood spattered over Mr. Stevens. The animal died in a few moments.

FRATERNAL NEWS

The annual election of officers for Washington commandery, U.O.G.C. took place last evening with the following result:

N.C., Mrs. Emma Richardson; V.N.C., Mrs. Louise Thorne; prelate, Mrs. Carrie Hull; K. of R., G. F. Tilton, Jr.; F. K. of R., F. J. Spaulding; treasurer, John Thorne; herald, Mrs. E. L. Curtis; W.I.G., Mrs. Agnes Turnbull; W.O.G., Matthew Turnbull; P.N.C., Mrs. E. G. Spaulding; trustees, Mrs. E. J. Richardson, Mrs. J. F. Turnbull, N. W. Matthews, Jr., representative to Grand Commandery, Mrs. Carrie Hull; alternate, Mrs. E. G. Spaulding. The installation will take place at the first meeting in January.

Lowell Lodge, A.O.U.W.

An interesting meeting of Lowell lodge, 22, A.O.U.W. took place last evening and was largely attended. Considerable business was transacted and an invitation to be the guests of Burtt lodge of Haverhill in the near future, was accepted. At the close of the business session a social hour was enjoyed during which entertainment numbers were given and refreshments were served.

Lowell Lodge, K. of P.

At a recent meeting of Lowell lodge, 24, K. of P. the following officers were elected for the ensuing term:

C.C., Charles H. Kimball; N.C., Earl W. Costello; prelate, Harry M. Copp; M. of W., Arthur Carrivillo; K. of R. and S., Edgar D. Clark; M. of F., William McKeen Copp; M. of E., George C. Bresths; M. of A., Douglas Walker; I. G., George Whitley; O.G., Ralph W. Lake; trustee, Samuel G. Lyness; representative to Grand lodge, William B. Kelley; alternate, Harry McPhie.

Edith Prescott Wolcott

A feature of last evening's meeting of Edith Prescott Wolcott auxiliary, 3, U.S.W.V. was the election of officers for the ensuing term, which resulted as follows: Mrs. Ada E. Gilmore, president; Mrs. Margaret Bellamy, senior vice president; Miss Mary McBride, junior vice president; Mrs. Annie Bowden, chaplain; Mrs. Catherine Cheney, historian; Mrs. Nellie B. Farnam, patriotic instructor; Mrs. Alice E. Kittredge, conductor; Mrs. Jennie W. Jeyes, assistant conductor; Mrs. Martha Blakely, guard; Mrs. Mary Gibbons, assistant guard. At the close of the meeting luncheon was served by a committee headed by Mrs. Ida Phaneuf.

ARMENIAN BEAUTY AIDS RELIEF FUND

By N.E.A. Service

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Lady Ann Azgapetian, famous Armenian beauty and war nurse, wife of General Mezrop N. Azgapetian, has returned to

New York after a tour throughout the western states in the interest of the Armenian relief fund.

Lady Ann spoke before all the large clubs and associations in the west. Her appeal for funds was met by large subscriptions, all of which were forwarded to Armenia, as the clerical expense was borne by philanthropists.

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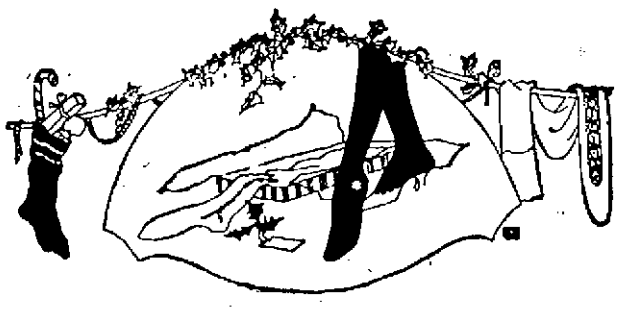

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Clocked Silk Hose, fancy embroidered clocks, in black, $2.00 to $6.50 Pr.
Heavy Thread Silk Hose, black, white and brown.....$1.50 Pr.
Heavy Fibre Silk Hose, black, white and brown .....$1.00 Pr.

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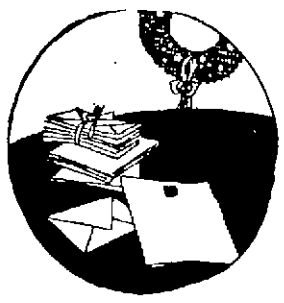
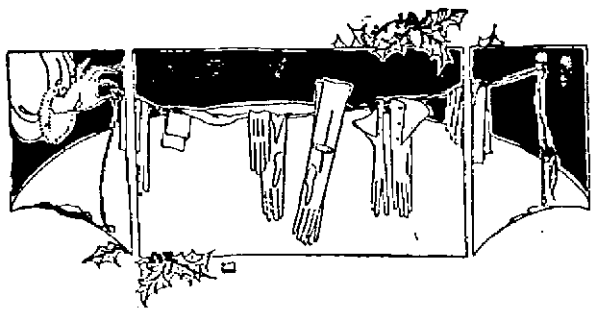


Gift Stationery

In the stationery section are many distinctive boxes which came to us especially for the holidays. They are filled with fine selected papers in a variety of styles and sizes to suit many tastes—in white and colors.

Crane's Linen Lawn, in a solid walnut cabinet with lock and key $12.00
Crane's Linen Lawn, in paper cabinet containing four quires paper and two quires correspondence cards $8.00
Morgan Lawn, in grey cabinet with three small drawers $4.00
Morgan Peacock Linen, in cabinet containing paper and cards $3.00
Ward's Wardwove Linen, in cabinet containing paper and cards, assorted colors $3.50
Hurd's Suede Finish Paper, in large cabinet containing paper and cards $3.50
Also a good assortment of cabinets containing good quality paper and ribbon tied, at....$1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.25, $2.50
We also carry a variety of flat gift boxes, containing one and two quires of paper, at .....50c and $1.00 Box
Our assortment of Christmas Cards is most complete. We have one special number of hand colored cards with appropriate sentiment. Ten cards in a box, no two alike....$1.00 Box
Also a smaller size card, 10 in a box, no two alike, at ....60c Box
In our engraving section, you can have your cards engraved from your own plate or have a new one made.....$1.50 Upward
Monogram die made to order .....$1 Upward

Street Floor



It's Easy to Please with GLOVES Like These

For what woman or child is not proud of a well gloved hand? Besides there's generally an opening for a pair of gloves somewhere in the feminine wardrobe.

Bring your glove problems to us if you have any—will help you select the right kind and correct size for everyone.

Women's French Kid Gloves, wrist length, self and contrast embroideries; black, white and colors.....$2.50 to $4.00
Women's Strap Wrist Gloves, lace and washable leathers; white, black and colors ..... $3.50 to $4.50
Women's Mocha Gloves, wrist lengths, both spear back and embroidered; beavers, browns and greys .....$2.50 to $3.75
Women's Double Fabric Gloves, wrist length, nearly all colors, $1.25
Women's Double Fabric Gloves, strap wrist, nearly all colors, $1.50
See our assortment of Children's Gloves and Mittens.

Street Floor

Buy a Coat For Christmas

THESE ARE

Sample Coats

$79.50

Reg. Prices $85, $100, $125

Beautiful Bolivia Coats with large Fur Collars of Nutria, Squirrel, Beaver, Wolf and Australian Opossum have all been reduced to $79.50. The best materials, workmanship and furs make up these coats. Any of these coats would make a very acceptable Christmas gift.

Second Floor

BEACON BATH ROBES They Make Dandy Gifts

Direct from one of the best makers. What could be more acceptable for a Christmas gift than a nice bathrobe? Make your selection now while the assortment is at its best.

$5.00, $7.50, $10.00

IMPORTED JAPANESE VESTS

Just received direct from Japan, a shipment of Silk Quilted Vests, with or without sleeves. Just the thing to wear under your coat these cold days. Priced..... **$1.49 and $2.98**

SPORT SETS AS CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Any girl would be delighted to receive one of these Sport Sets for Christmas. A beautiful scarf with tam to match.

$1.98, $3.98, $5.00

Second Floor

BLOUSES ARE INTIMATE GIFTS

And of course you can't give everyone a blouse—but from kin to kin, from friend to friend—what more befitting gift?

In holiday array—in holiday boxes—there is such a host of the loveliest blouses as has seldom been seen.

If you're planning a blouse gift—come right in to choose—lest the one you want is taken.

Fine assortment of Crepe de Chine, Georgette and Satin Waists and Overblouses in Suit Shades, prettily beaded and embroidered, $5.00, $7.50, $8.98 and $10.00

Good assortment of Radium Crepe de Chine and Georgette Waists in white and flesh, semi-tailored and lace trimmed models. $5.00, $7.50, $8.98 and $10.00

Second Floor

A BIT OF "SHOP EARLY" PHILOSOPHY

Everyone's aware that a great deal of the success of Christmas shopping devolves upon the salespersons.

The time they have to give to you—as well as the amount of time you allow yourself, are aids to successful shopping.

Why not try to shop early this year—and thereby avoid the crowds and lighten the usual Christmas strain?

Have all your gifts bought, boxed, wrapped and ready to hang on the tree long before Christmas eve—you'll feel rested and happy and ready for a good old-fashioned Christmas.

SHOP EARLY

SOMEBODY'S ALWAYS NEEDING

SLIPPERS

Wouldn't a gift of cosy, comfortable slippers be just the thing? Someone's always needing a pair—if it isn't a member of your family—it's some dear friend or relative. There are the Daniel Green Comfy Slippers.

WOMEN'S—
Plain felt, with pom pom, pair $2.00
Plain felt, ribbon and pom pom trimmed, pair $2.25
Felt Hi-Lo; can be worn either high or low, pair..... $2.25
Quilted Satin, with pom pom, pair $2.50
Plain felt, with satin trimmings, pair $2.75
Plain felt, with leather soles, pair $2.50

MEN'S—
Plain felt, pair $2.00
Plain felt, with trimmings, pair $2.50

MISSES'—Sizes 1½ to 2—
Felt with animal design, pair $1.75
Moccasin style, pair $2.50

CHILDREN'S—Sizes 6 to 11—
Felt with animal design, pair $1.50
Moccasin style, pair $2.00
Bootees, pair $2.50

INFANTS'—
Felt Hi-Lo, pair $1.50

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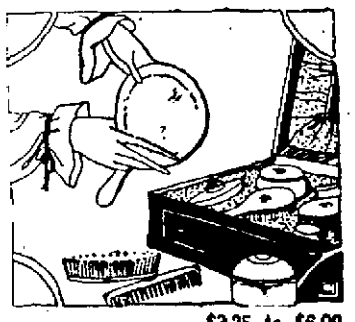
IVORY



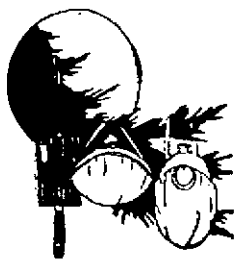
No gift could be more acceptable to the girl or woman who takes pride in her dressing table. Yours may be the first piece towards the set or it might be the only one she did not have.

Hair Brushes ..... $3.25 to $6.00
Mirrors ..... $4.25 to $6.50
Dressing Combs ..... 45c to $2.00
Puff Boxes ..... $1.25 to $2.69
Hair Receivers ..... $1.25 to $2.89
Trays ..... 85c to $5.69
Shoe Horns ..... 50c to $2.00
Cloth and Hat Brushes ..... $2.75 to $5.00
Nail Polishers ..... $1.50 to $2.89
Nail Files ..... 39c to $1.00
Button Hooks ..... 35c to $1.00
Picture Frames ..... $1.00 to $3.89
Jewel Cases ..... $2.25 to $7.50
Bud Vases 85c
Perfume Bottle Holders ..... 85c to $3.00

Street Floor

Christmas Treasures in

LEATHER GOODS



Treasures indeed for they'll last not for a day, a week, a month, but throughout the year and years.

Every conceivable kind of gift for man, woman or child, from the most choice to the least expensive.

Here are a few of the many items to be found in this section:

Faon and Chiffon Velvet Bags in all colors, with purse and mirrors ..... $3 to $15

Leather Purses in Morocco, Pin Seal, Vachette, Goat and Calf Skin, in plain, spider and alligator grain; black, blue, brown and grey, long and short handles, swagger and Kodak style. $1.00 to $15

Leather Bags, in week-end, shopping and porch styles; leather and silk lining..$1.39 to $12

Bill Folds in Pin Seal, Morocco and goat skin leather, three and two folds, $1.00 to $10.00.

Men's Tourist Cases, with black fittings, $4.50 to $9.00

Music Cases, black only, silk and leather lined, $3 to $5.50

BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

PARIS, Dec. 8.—(By the Associated Press)—Julio Herrera, brother to Carlos Herrera, who was recently ousted from the presidency of Guatemala, appealed to the American embassy here today to save his brother's life, which he declared was in danger. He also asked the French foreign office to intervene.

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—The wage situation in the shoe manufacturing industry at Brockton, involving some 30,000 persons and a proposed wage reduction of 20 per cent., was before the state board of conciliation and arbitration today. It was announced that all parties had agreed to submit the issues to arbitration by the board.

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—A strike of longshoremen today involved 200 men and affected three vessels which were being loaded or unloaded here.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 8.—Sergeant N. S. Bethens, marine corps, a guard on a mail car attached to Atlantic Coast Line train No. 50, Jacksonville to New York, early today fired his sawed-off gun five times at three men, two of whom were negroes, who were throwing packages from a sealed express car ahead.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The cotton goods schedule of the permanent tariff bill as it passed the house is the "most revolutionary piece of tariff since Abraham Lincoln signed the first tariff act in 1864," former Senator Henry F. Lippitt of Providence, R. I., declared today before the senate committee holding hearings on the tariff measure.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 8.—Governor Blaine in a letter today to Postmaster General Hays attacked the postal department's policy of maintaining armed marine guards on mail trains with instructions to shoot to kill. The governor asked that M. Hanson, the guard who shot Otto Lambrecht of Kaukaunua, Wis., be returned to Wisconsin for trial.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 8.—(By the Associated Press)—The Irish diplomatic mission, headed by Laurence Ginell, which came to Argentina some months ago, will continue efforts to raise an Irish loan which they now believed is assured of success.

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—An estate of approximately $1,000,000 will go eventually to St. Francis Xavier college at Antigonish, N. S., under the terms of the will of Neil McNeil, a retired Dorchester builder who died on Dec. 4. His will filed for probate today, bequeathed to the governors of the college his automobiles and various other property.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Students of the new Irish settlement terms gave it today as their opinion that the terms contain nothing to prevent the Irish Free state from redeeming bonds issued by the Irish republic.

URGES INCREASE IN WEST POINT CADET CORPS

WASHINTON, Dec. 8.—An increase in the size of the cadet corps at West Point military academy from 1334 to 2500 is recommended by Brig. Gen. Douglas MacArthur, superintendent of the academyfi in his annual report to the secretary of war, made public today.

While the United States, Gen. MacArthur said, has followed a course responsive to the reaction against war by diminishing the size of its army, this country "must, if wise, increase the small leaven of profesionally trained experts to train the great masses of the citizen soldiery which must be improvised in time of strife."

INJUNCTION GRANTED AGAINST PICKETING

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—A temporary injunction prohibiting members of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters' and Butcher Workers' union now on strike from picketing or otherwise molesting workers in the stockyards, was granted in superior court by Judge Dennis Sullivan today. The petition for the injunction was filed by Swift & Co., and 21 other packers.

A few more defections were reported by the big five packers, but the plants still were operating. Reports from other packing centers said there was little disturbance and little change in the situation.

RECEIPTS OF BOXING MATCH GO TO POOR

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—The poor of Lynn will benefit at Christmas by the fact that a boxing referee saw fit to declare a bout no contest a few nights ago. Under an arrangeemnt with the state boxing commission, officers of the Casino Athletic club of Lynn today agreed to turn over to Christmas charity the net receipts of the match. Boxers in the preliminary bouts alone were pair. The bout stopped was between Eddie Tremblay of Baston and Jackie Clark of Allentown, Pa. Lawrence F. Sweeney of Boston was the referee. He said the boxers were stalling.

SIX JEWELRY AUCTIONEERS FINED

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—Six auctioneers arrested recently in stores where jewelry, rugs and bric-a-brac were being sold at what they said were "dirt cheap" prices, were found guilty today of "falsifying the character of the goods" and fined from $25 to $255 each. They gave notice of appeal. In one instance, according to a complainant, a ring alleged to have been sold as a genuine diamond with a solid gold band for $22 was found to be worth 50 cents.

FUNERALS

GOSSELIN—The funeral of Antoine Gosselin took place this afternoon from the funeral parlors of Undertakers Joseph Albert in Aiken street at 1.45 o'clock. At 2 o'clock a Libera was chanted at St. Jean Baptiste church by Rev. Augustin Graton, O.M.I. The bearers were Zoel St. Hilaire, Joseph Daniel, Gaspard Beaudry, Alexandre Gellette, F. X. Parent and Wilfrid Tiebergue. Attending the funeral from out of town were Mrs. Melvina Cote, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremie Gosselin and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gosselin, all of Lynn. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Lady Surma, an English educated Mesopotamian, is president of the Assyrian nation.

WAR'S OVER

S. S. County of Devon was wrecked in the North Atlantic, Feb. 20, 1914. The British government has just decorated Ernst Harzmeyer, a German tar, for rescuing the crew.

HELD FOR LARCENY OF $5000 FROM CHURCH

SALEM, Dec. 8.—Harold S. Martin, 33, married and living until recently in Hamilton, was held in $6000 for a hearing before Judge Sears on Dec. 22 on a charge of larceny of $2200 in bonds and $2300 in cash from the Episcopal church in Hamilton, of which he was until recently treasurer. Martin was arrested in Everett yesterday, where he has been living recently. He pleaded not guilty.

Last Monday in the superior court, a civil suit was filed for $4500 in an action of contract by the Mission of Christ church (Episcopal) of Hamilton, against Martin, as treasurer of the church.

There was also filed an agreement for judgment against him, signed by Martin and counsel, for the church, in substance an acknowledgment of the debt. This civil action has now been followed by the criminal proceeding.

According to Daniel E. O'Brien, counsel for the church, Martin on Nov. 20 gave Rev. Dr. Smart, pastor, a written and signed confession of his alleged peculations with the church finances, and in the confession expressed the wish that be allowed to make restitution.

FOR MANUFACTURE OF POISON GASES

BALTIMORE, Dec. 8.—Resolutions demanding continuation of chemicals in warfare and such preparation as will enable the United States to manufacture poison gases in large quantities in time of war, were adopted unanimously by the American Institute of Chemical Engineers in annual convention here today.

Another resolution, also passed unanimously, called for a general embargo on the importation of dyes.

A DEATH-FILLED GAP

Two trains met head-on in this gap on the Philadelphia and Reading line at Woodmont, Pa. One locomotive looped the loop. Cars were telescoped. Gas tanks exploded. More than 20 commuting residents of nearby towns were killed and 30 injured.

Irish Prisoners Leave Jails

DUBLIN, Dec. 8.—(By the Associated Press)—King George's proclamation of amnesty for Irishmen under internment resulted in the release today of many prisoners who had been interned in the Kilmainham and Arbour Hill camps and the Mountjoy jail. Expressions of satisfaction over the peace terms were numerous among the men set free. One of the released men from Kilmainham remarked: "What is good enough for Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins, is good enough for me."

To Remove Crown Forces Within Month

DUBLIN, Dec. 8.—(By the Associated Press)—Announcement was made today at military headquarters here that if the Anglo-Irish agreement is ratified the crown forces would be removed from Ireland within a month.

Get Farewell Letters From Col. Whittlesey

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Four friends of Lieut. Col. Charles W. Whittlesey, leader of the "Lost Battalion" who leaped to death from a Havana-bound steamer on the night of Nov. 26, announced today that they had received farewell letters from him but that the letters offered no explanation for his act. "In the light of our intimate relations with him," said a statement, "we are convinced that the theory voiced by the press as to the cause of his death is correct. His was a battle casualty."

Cong. Flood Dies of Heart Trouble

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Representative Henry D. Flood, democrat, of the 10th Virginia district, died at his home here today of heart trouble. He had been ill several weeks.

Urges Increase in Constabulary Force

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—Col. Alfred Foote, commissioner of public safety, filed with the secretary of state today a bill recommending the addition of 90 men to the new state constabulary, which now consists of 42 men.

BOSTON, Dec. 8.—The supreme court today took under advisement a motion by District Attorney Joseph C. Pelletley for an extension of time beyond Dec. 19 in which to file an answer to the request of Attorney-General Allen for his removal from office.

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$25, $35 and $50

Fur shawl collars Opossum, Raccoon and Beaverette.

BASEMENT ITEMS

BEACON BATHROBES..... $5.00

FLANNELETTE NIGHT GOWNS $1.19

COTTON TAFFETA PETTICOATS, fancy flounces, new patterns .. $1.00

85 WINTER COATS selling to $27.50. Choice $14.00

Sport Skirts

Prunella Sport Skirts—200 Skirts; value $10. At $5

Children's Dept.

Third Floor

GINGHAM DRESSES, Doll to match $3.98

ANGORA SETS, Scarf and Cap $2.98

COATS, Fur Collars, $7.50, $10

Bathrobes, $1.98

WAISTS

Crepe de Chine Overblouse; $10 values, 69 left $5.00

Swagger Sport Coats

Generous fur collars, Raccoon and Australian opossum; $35 and $40 elsewhere. Choice

$25

HOSIERY

2000 Dozen Pairs for Our Xmas Sale

WOOL SPORT HOSE 95c

Pure Silk, full fashioned, all colors, $1.75 and $2.95

Dress Sale

EXTRAORDINARY

NEARLY 1000 DRESSES, LATEST N. Y. MODELS, PURCHASED ONLY THIS WEEK. READY FRIDAY

—Beautiful Materials—

Fine Charmeuse, Canton Crepe Poiret Twill, Tricotine.....

$15

Dresses, made to sell as high as $35. Our price $15.00

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WAISTS

French Waists; values to $5.00. Choice..... $2.00

Xmas Suggestions

Useful Gifts Are Most Favored

TAFFETA SILK PETTICOATS

New Taffeta Silk Petticoats, also jersey, beautiful range of colors. Special at $3.95

200 Coats

IN MAMMOTH FUR SALE

$100 MARMOT COATS, plain... $69.50

$150 SEALINE COATS, Skunk collar and cuffs.... $100

$165 MARMOT COATS, Raccoon collar and cuffs, $95

$250 NATURAL RACCOON COATS, 40 inches long $195

NEARSEAL AND HUDSON SEAL at Lowest Prices in Five Years

SWEATERS

Slip-On Sweaters, Christmas value $1.95

Tuxedo Sweaters, $2.95

Exceptional assortment.

Wall St. Explosion Suspect Held

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 9.—Police last night arrested a man whose name was given as Mike Stine, as a suspect in connection with the Wall Street explosion, Sept. 16, 1920, when a large number of persons were killed. An unsigned communication to the police led to the arrest. Stine's wife said that he had not been in New York since their marriage six years ago. Chief of Detectives Charles Van Deusen of the Omaha police department today said that he was satisfied that Stine was in Omaha on Sept. 16, 1920, and that he was the same man who engaged in a wrestling match during a carnival here on that date. Stone, police say, is a professional wrestler.

Serious Earthquake Shocks Reported

ROME, Dec. 9.—(By the Associated Press)—Serious earthquake shocks have been reported throughout this week from the regions around Lake of Bolsena, about 60 miles northwest of this city. The ground in several villages of that vicinity shows large fissures as a result of the shocks, according to despatches received here today. The greater part of the inhabitants are camping in the fields. No deaths have been reported.

Dr. Hadley Electrocuted for Murder

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 9.—Dr. Wilmer Amos Hadley, former army surgeon and rancheman, was put to death in the electric chair in the state penitentiary early today for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Sue Tinsley Hadley, in November, 1918. Prison attendants declared Hadley went to his death calmly and stoically.

De Valera's Announcement

Continued

y raised two important questions:

What will be the outcome of the division among the Irish leaders affecting the decision of the Dail Eireann upon the agreement?

What effect will the situation in South Ireland have upon the British government's attitude and the opening of the imperial parliament for consideration of the agreement?

The best opinion is that the split among the Dail leaders will not affect the plans for the opening of parliament.

The agreement was made between the British government and plenipotentiaries representing the Dail Eireann, and it will be placed before the house of commons and the house of lords as such agreement in the king's speech.

Look For Prolonged Sessions

Then, after Prime Minister Lloyd George in the lower house and Lord Birkenhead in the upper chamber, have explained and supported the agreement a brief adjournment will be taken to await the vote of the Dail Eireann, which meets the same day—next Wednesday.

The sessions of the Dail are considered here as likely to be prolonged and lively, for that body is composed of young men with strong views which they are in the habit of expressing with force.

The outcome seems at this distance impossible to predict. Although there were reports before the signing of the truce last summer, that differences of opinion existed between De Valera and some of his chief supporters, such as Arthur Griffith, no such differences, if there were any, have ever been expressed in public, and opinion on how the rank and file will vote is considered for the most part mere guesswork.

Expect Griffith to Win Day

De Valera, it is believed, will have strong supporters for the rejection of the agreement and the demand for an Irish republic from Austin Stack, Charles Burgess, Desmond Fitzgerald, William Mellowes, Countess Markiewicz, and all the out-and-out republicans. Government circles in London, however, remained convinced as their view was expressed this forenoon that Griffith, Michael Collins and their supporters will win the day, as it is felt that the moderates will follow this group.

The nationalists throughout the south and west of Ireland, who were forced into comparative obscurity with the ascendency of the Sinn Fein are counted upon here to use all their influence for the acceptance of the agreement.

Release of Prisoners Goes On

The split in the Dail cabinet will not interfere in the release of the prisoners in the Irish internment camps, and other places of confinement to whom amnesty was extended by the king's proclamation, according to the Irish office. Those from the Ballykinler camp will be given their liberty today and others of the interned men will likewise be set free immediately. It is pointed out here that many of these men are classed as extremists, but the cordial reception which the first of those released gave to the agreement has caused hope in the official world, that the released men for the most part will prove supporters of Collins and Griffith.

De Valera's Message

Following is the text of Eamon de Valera's message to the Irish people issued at 11.30 o'clock last night:

"You have seen in the public press the text of the proposed treaty with Great Britain. The terms of this agreement are in violent conflict with the wishes of the majority of this nation as expressed freely at successive elections in the past three years.

"I feel it my duty to inform you immediately that I cannot recommend acceptance of this treaty either to the Dail Eireann or to the country. In this attitude I am supported by the ministers of home affairs and defense.

"A public session of the Dail Eireann is being summoned for Wednesday at 11 o'clock in the morning.

"Great Test"

"I ask the people to maintain during the interval the same discipline as heretofore.

"The members of the cabinet, though of divided opinions, are prepared to carry on public services as usual. The army, as such, is of course not affected by the political situation and continues under the same orders and control.

"The great test of our people has come. Let us face it worthily, without bitterness and, above all, without recriminations.

"There is a definite constitutional way of resolving our political differences. Let us not depart from it, and let the conduct of the cabinet in this matter be an example to the whole nation."

Comment On De Valera's Attitude

DUBLIN, Dec. 9.—(By the Associated Press)—Commenting on the statement of de Valera, the Irish Independent says:

"In connection with this development the outstanding fact is that on Sept. 14 last the Dail Eireann appointed five plenipotentiaries to represent Ireland at a conference with representatives of the British government to discuss the Anglo-Irish problem and, if possible, arrive at a settlement.

"With skill and ability these plenipotentiaries discharged the onerous mission entrusted to them. After long weeks of arduous labor and persistent effort, they secured terms and a settlement which we have no doubt were the best that in existing conditions could have been extracted.

"As plenipotentiaries they represented the Dail Eireann and the Irish nation and in the exercise of their power, they signed a treaty of peace.

"We submit that in the circumstances the nation is in honor bound to uphold their action. If the position were reversed and if the head of the British government together with members of the British cabinet sought to repudiate the treaty, the Irish people would unhesitatingly condemn their attitude."

The Irish Times says: "The country will read with deep dismay the statement Mr. de Valera issued last night after a prolonged meeting of the Dail Eireann.

"The loyalist minority is ready to put its faith in the good will of which Arthur Griffith has assured it. Now de Valera steps in between Ireland and her hopes.

Griffith Stands by Treaty

DUBLIN, Dec. 9—(By the Associated Press)—Arthur Griffith, head of the Irish delegation which negotiated the settlement at London, issued the following statement last night:

"I have signed the treaty between Ireland and Great Britain. I believe this treaty will lay the foundations of peace and friendship between the two nations.

"What I have signed I shall stand by, in the belief that the end of the conflict of centuries is at hand."

War Not Ended, Says O'Brien

LONDON, Dec. 9 (by the Associated Press)—Under the caption "A Word of Counsel to the Irish," Art O'Brien, the Dail Eireann's representative in England, in a letter yesterday to the organ of the Irish Self-Determination league in Great Britain, wrote:

"Be not led into rejoicing and thanksgiving without cause or reason. The claim of the people of Ireland is and always has been recognition of the complete independence of their country. That is a claim no nation can forego, and until it is met in their case the Irish race cannot rejoice.

"If, under the threat of renewed and intensified warfare and as an alternative to seeing their country ravished and laid waste by fire and sword and their race exterminated, five Irishmen have been compelled to sign their names to the document published yesterday, it is not a cause for us to rejoice or a reason for us to offer thanksgiving. If, finally, the representatives of the people of Ireland accept the document they will not ask their kindred to do more than bow their heads and take the road again.

"The 700 years' war has not ended, because no war can be ended by enforced peace."

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Helmar, large pkg.; Turkish Trophies, large, only....20¢
Murad, large size.....33¢
Egyptian Temple, large size, 17¢
Mayo and B. L., plug, 3 for 50¢
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MORE THAN FORTY YEARS AGO Bible Students began to proclaim that 1914 was the year specifically marked when the "time of trouble such as never was since there was a nation," prophesied in the Scriptures, would commence. Until the catastrophe of August, 1914, broke upon the world they were ridiculed. In the brief span of seven years the human race has been torn by war, famine, disease and social upheavals the like of which have never been known. And the end is not yet; for the conflagration which commenced with the World War is raging with increasing severity and reaching out to every corner of the earth. The prophetic words of Jesus, uttered nearly two thousand years ago, are being fulfilled with terrible accuracy. Will His words concerning events to happen within the next few years come true? You should know the truth.

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You are invited to hear Pastor J. Henry Sonntag of Boston, lecture on the subject, "Millions Now Living Will Never Die," at Middlesex Hall, Lowell, Mass., Sunday, December 11, at 3 P. M.

This lecture has comforted multitudes bereaved by the world war, epidemics, and attending sorrows. So great has been the demand that it has been amplified and published in book form, including 500 Scriptural proof texts. Those unable to hear the lecture may have a copy by sending 25 cents to I.B.S.A., Lecture Bureau, BOX 30, NORTH CHELMSFORD, MASS.

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THOUSANDS OF YARDS OF WOOLENS MUST GO—I had bought heavily for fall and winter. Only two weeks ago I snapped up a portion of a bankrupt stock—material intended for Suits and Overcoats, of values up to $40.00 and over. All these must be sold and must be done in 25 selling days. This entire tremendous stock is subject to your choice of selection.

'Ready-to-Wear Overcoats
Made in my own shop during dull periods. There are times in a tailor shop when coat-makers get caught up—as they call it—and it is a case of lay them off or give them something to do. I don't want to lay off my men, neither can I afford to pay them for idle hours. The making of Ready-to-Wear Overcoats solves the problem. This plan enables me to quote lower prices for made-to-measure and to sell ready-to-wear for less than actual cost. All these garments are hand tailored, some are all lined, others are one-half satin lined. I have them in one-half belts, whole belts with patch and bellows pockets. Ulsterettes, plain and Raglan effects, from what I have seen in the store windows, the lowest grades of these coats would retail around $30. If I have your size there is a number of styles to close out as low as
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MITCHELL, The Tailor 31 MERRIMACK STREET

CASES IN THE JUVENILE COURT

In juvenile court today Judge Enright found George Therrien not guilty of assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to murder. However, he found him guilty of assault with a dangerous weapon and sentenced him to the Lyman school. The sentence was suspended for a week during which time an investigation will be made of the conditions of the boy's home life.

According to the story the Therrin boy, together with a boy named Mitchell Kopacz, was hunting in Dracut when a shotgun discharged inflicted wounds upon Mrs. Mary Kunuski. This morning the Kopacz boy was discharged upon the complaint of threatening.

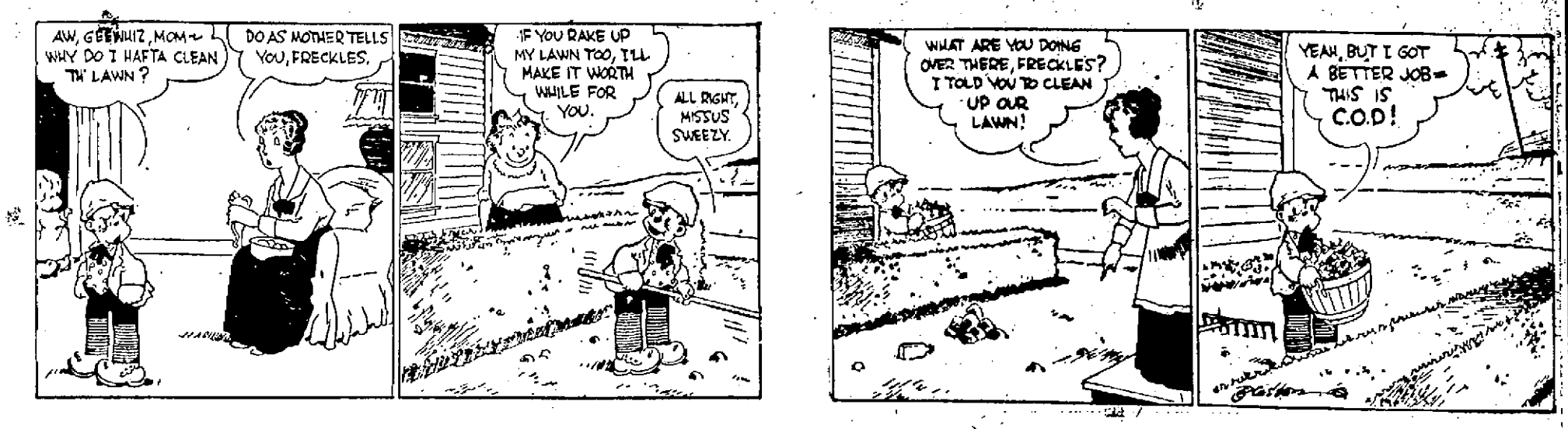
The cases of the three boys who broke into stores on Prescott street were continued for one week. The case of Daniel J. O'Neil who struck and killed a 16-year-old boy at Tewksbury was continued until December 30. He is charged with manslaughter.

The cycle race over in New York has still a day and a fraction to go. Everybody reported as happy as usual.

Use light grade grease or non-fluid oil for the speedometer shaft.

World's record for an automobile traveling one mile is 44 seconds.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Jim Thorpe denies the report that he is going to quit "pro" football. He says he has two more games scheduled and will play both. He also avers that he is not in the game for money only, but likes the sport and thinks it the best in the athletic line.

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Every Variety as in Summer
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Green Mt. Potatoes, pk....35¢
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LEDA COFFEE
Lb. ..... 37¢

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Whole .....25¢
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With Corned Beef
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Made of 8-ounce brown check, full double fronts, extra roomy cut, patented non-curling suspenders, 4 front pockets, very strongly made. The most durable Overall made.
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Special for Friday and Saturday

A pair of solid, substantially made overalls, the "Rivet Stitch" brand, for $1.15. These are made of heavy dark blue denim, cut on liberal lines, stitched with shoe thread, strong pockets, tacked at all points of strain, cleanly made by happy workers and guaranteed to give full satisfaction.

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A Pair. Jacket at Same Price. Sizes 36 to 44.

ON SALE—MEN'S FURNISHING SECTION—BASEMENT.

NTERTAINED DISABLED WAR VETERANS

Members of the Ladies' auxiliary to owell post, American Legion, acted hostesses to thirty-five disabled orld war veterans now convalescing the Groton hospital, yesterday afternoon and evening. The program included an automobile ride to this city, theatre party at the B. F. Keith's there in the afternoon, and supper and tertainment in Memorial hall in the ening.

The "boys" arrived in this city in me for the afternoon entertainment Keith's, where, through the courtesy of Manager B. E. Pickett, they ere given reserved seats in the box. After enjoying the performance om which they derive a lot of pleasure, the young men were taken to Memorial hall, where they sat around the festive board and partook of delicious food. At the close of the supper, Mrs. Charles F. Young, chairman of the entertainment committee of the auxiliary, acting as toastmaster, introduced Mayor Perry D. Thompson, who after paying a flattering compliment to the members of the auxiliary, presented a handsome bouquet of chrysanthemums to Mrs. Young. The mayor then spoke briefly to the veterans and closed by saying he hoped to see similar acts of comfort continued for the welfare of the soldiers, and hoped that the young men would soon be well enough to be able to care for themselves.

At the close of the mayor's remarks there were entertainment numbers given by members of the O'Reilly family and Miss Dorothy Leach. "The Star Spangled Banner" was sung by the assembly and Mrs. Young closed the program with the singing of "A Perfect Day." The committee in charge consisted of Mrs. Young, Mrs. Edward L. McDermott, Mrs. William H. Merritt, and Mrs. Sarah Kittredge, who wish to extend their thanks to the mayor, Commissioner Marchand, Cornelius F. Cronin, Henry Tighe, custodian of Memorial hall and the officers of Lowell post, American Legion, as well as Manager Pickett of Keith's, for their help in making the affair a success.

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"I have been boarding a little girl r most two years who has been a terble sufferer from asthma. Sometimes it seemed as though she would oke to death, the attacks were so sere. Last May I began giving her llen's Lung Healer and it has helped r so much that she has had but three tacks in seven months, whereas she ould have one every week before. The ther was surprised to see her so improved in health, so fat; she sleeps e and the cough is all gone. She so eats heartily. It is all due to llen's Lung Healer. We believe she ill be entirely cured soon. Her mother died of consumption."

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DOMESTIC ANTHRACITE COAL SITUATION

W. A. Staples, president and general manager of the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal Co. has addressed a letter to The Sun relative to the coal situation and demand for certain kinds of coal. He says the public are calling for stove and chestnut size but that it is impossible to obtain stove and chestnut coal from the mines unless a one-third portion of egg or furnace coal is taken. The letter:

I would like to say a word to the people of Lowell and vicinity through your paper in reference to domestic anthracite coal. The Lehigh & Wilkes-Barre Coal company maintains a shed at Lowell where we distribute anthracite coal to the retail dealers in care of their customers. The public are calling for large proportions of stove and chestnut size coal. The stove for use probably in steam or hot water heaters and the chestnut for stoves and ranges. There is little demand for egg or furnace in comparison with stove and chestnut. The equipment of the mining companies produces about equal proportions of egg, stove and chestnut; therefore, it is impossible to obtain stove and chestnut coal from the mines unless the 1-3 portion of egg or furnace coal is taken. We would like to impress upon the people that it is advantageous for them to burn the larger size of egg or furnace coal (if possible for them to do so) for two reasons; first, that we may obtain stove and chestnut especially for those people who have smaller homes and use stove or chestnut entirely for heating purposes; second, that if all the public demand stove and chestnut sizes of coal it will mean that mining companies will have to break down their coal into more of the smaller sizes thus causing a waste in breakage and dirt which would of necessity cause higher prices at the mines for all anthracite coal.

"It would therefore behoove the public generally to burn egg coal wherever it is consistent with the size of the fire box in their heaters or furnaces. Many people find it advantageous to mix egg size with pea coal, the latter being a size smaller than chestnut and costing less. Anthracite production and delivery is of interest to everyone and should receive co-operation all along the line to the ultimate benefit of the consuming public."

OH NO, OF COURSE

LECTURE COURSE AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Professor Erwin H. Schell of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology will give a special lecture course every Thursday night at the Y.M.C.A. for the next 10 weeks under the auspices of the Lowell Society of Industrial Science. His topic will be the inculcation of the profit and loss viewpoint in business for the most part. Last night he gave an introductory lecture on the subject before a large audience.

He explained that after the tremendous loss incurred during the war it was necessary for the people to have a new commercial viewpoint.

The entire list of the topics to be touched upon as announced last night include: Plant location and layout, buildings and equipment, design and inspection, purchasing and storage, intrafactory transportation, office organization and management, production control, accounting procedure and labor maintenance. According to the schedule, one of these topics will be discussed each Thursday night, commencing Dec. 15. The final registration will be held next Thursday night.

LADIES VERY IMPORTANT
NEW YORK WHOLESALERS' MILLINERY SALE
Broadway WHOLESALE MILLINERY CO.

BUY STAMPS DIRECT FROM WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Stamp collectors and dealers hereafter will be able to buy stamps for their collections direct from the postoffice department in Washington.

Postmaster General Hays issued an order today for the establishment of a philatelic stamp agency in the department to meet the long unfilled demand of collectors to be able to buy stamps, particularly special issues frequently not obtainable in postoffices, direct from the department.

Rare and obsolete issues also will be available through the agency which, it was said, will make every effort to supply the perfectly printed specimens that collectors want. Cash or money orders were laid down as inviolable conditions of sale.

FORGET-ME-NOT DAY IN LOWELL

Saturday, Dec. 17 has been set aside by Lowell chapter, 5, Disabled American War Veterans of the World War as "Forget-Me-Not" day, plans for the affair having been started at a meeting of the organization held last evening in Memorial hall. On that day it is being planned to hold a tag day, with the sanction of the city government, the receipts of the day to be used for the welfare of disabled veterans.

Last evening's meeting was presided over by Commander George B. Whelton and in the course of the evening there were remarks by several members, who are interested in the movement. "Forget-me-not" day will be observed all over the country and according to plans fifty per cent. of the receipts of the day will go to national headquarters, and 50 per cent. to the local chapter. It is planned to have the receipts turned into a local bank in sealed packages and the bank will arrange with national headquarters for its share of the funds.

The following committee was appointed to have charge of the local drive: James Flannery, Raymond Corkery, T. Roberge, Leo Gauvreau, John Sullivan, James Fitzgerald, John Kenney, John Wallace, Harold Sullivan, Edward Flanagan, Harold Sanga and John Donnelly. A publicity committee was also appointed for the campaign, also a committee to interview Mayor Thompson and the municipal heads. It was voted to hold the next meeting of the chapter on Monday, December 13.

ANOTHER LABOR SAVING DEVICE

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—Patents are pending in the United States patent office at Washington on a machine which it is said will revolutionize the women's clothing industry. The machine was invented by R. M. Sharaf of this city, formerly one of the most successful manufacturers of women's wearing apparel in the east.

For eight years the inventor has experimented in an endeavor to produce a machine that will, in one operation, sew in and trim lace insertion, lace edgings, do lock stitching and make French seams. During these years he spent the greater part of his fortune in his experiments and has now brought out a machine that manufacturers declare will do in one operation what in the past has taken seven operations to perform. It is believed this machine will save manufacturers from 75 to 90 per cent in the present labor costs on this kind of work.

During a recent demonstration of the machine to several of the largest manufacturers in the eastern part of the United States, the inventor proved his machine could sew and trim 100 yards of lace an hour, an operation that an operator under the present method would take nearly a day and a half to perform.

Already the company's factory has become too small to fill the flood of orders from manufacturers who are engaged in this line of industry, one of the most important in the United States, and he has been forced to seek larger quarters.

DROWNED IN BATH TUB

Sir Arthur Pearson Struck Head Against Faucet and Fell Into Water

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Sir Arthur Pearson is dead as the result of an accident at his home here. While in his bath he slipped, striking his head against a faucet. Stunned, he fell into the water and was drowned before help could reach him.

Cyril Arthur Pearson was born Feb. 24, 1866, the son of the late Rev. Arthur C. Pearson of Springfield, Chelmsford, and was made a baronet in 1916. He was one of the outstanding publicists in England until his eyesight completely failed in 1914. He founded Pearson's Weekly and other well known publications, among which probably the best known is the Daily Express of London. Another of his properties which he acquired by purchase was the London Standard which he consolidated with the St. James Gazette. He disposed of this property following his affliction.

At the time of his death Sr. Arthur was president of the National Institute for the Blind and during the European war he organized measures for the benefit of blinded sailors and soldiers. Early in 1915 he visited America in connection with this work. He was also the founder of St. Dunston's hotel for blind soldiers in London.

MOTHER!

Open Child's Bowels with "California Fig Syrup"

Hurry, mother! Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. If constipated, bilious, feverish, fretful, has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, tongue coated, breath bad, remember a good cleansing of the little bowels is often all that is necessary.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Adv.

Says Pile Remedy Worth $100 a Box

"I have had itching piles ever since my earliest recollection. I am 63 years old and have suffered terribly. I have tried many remedies and doctors, but no cure. About 8 weeks ago I saw your adv. for Peterson's Ointment. The first application stopped all itching, and in three days all soreness. I have only used one box and consider I am cured. You have my grateful, heartfelt thanks, and may everyone that has this trouble see this and give your ointment, that is worth a hundred dollars or more a box, a trial. Sincerely yours, A. Newth, Columbus, Ohio."

Peterson's Ointment for Piles, Eczema and old sores is only 35 cents a large box at all druggists. Mail orders filled by Peterson Ointment Co., Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

WHY BE SICK?

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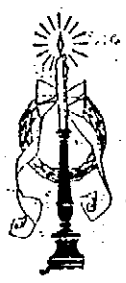
The Christmas Store of Lowell



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The season's smartest styles marked down to unusually low and attractive levels.
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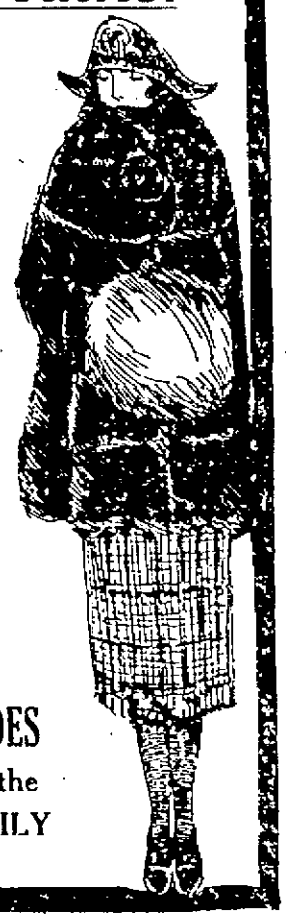

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Isn't this a particularly appropriate time to think of your wife's happiness? Nothing could please her quite so much this Christmas as Electrical Gifts that eliminate the drudgery of housework.

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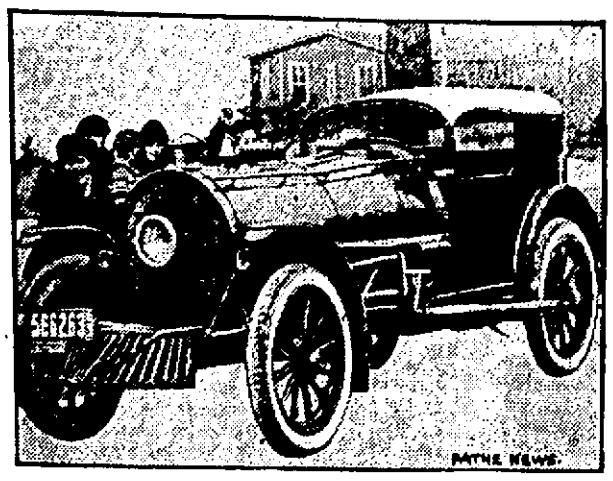

NO FIREMAN COALS THIS ONE

This locomotive is not restricted in its travels by steel rails and flanged wheels. It can go any place an auto can, for that's just what it is—camouflaged by its Chicago owner.

EXPECTS 35,000,000 TO DIE OF STARVATION

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 9—Maxim Gorky, Russian novelist and formerly head of the Russian relief commission, told The Associated Press correspondent when he passed through this city on his way to Berlin, that he believed the deaths from starvation in Russia would aggregate 35,000,000.

He heartily praised the support which the American people were giving to the starving people of Russia but said the only way out of the serious situation would be through the establishment of international relief founded on the American plan, broad, efficient, complete and well controlled.

He doubted, however, whether the necessary relief would arrive in time to avert disaster.

He expressed the opinion that Mr. Hoover's relief was somewhat imperfect and lacked organization, because sufficient safeguards were not taken to prevent the stealing of the food by gangs or soviet officials, from the time the commodities arrived in Petrograd until they are consumed.

M. Gorky said Mr. Hoover had placed too much confidence in the soviet.

He deplored the passivity of France and excused Germany for not coming to the support of Russia. Sweden's contribution to the famine he thought was but a drop in the ocean.

On the question of Russian interior politics, Gorky said "unrest is as common as dinner is here, but nobody takes any notice. Quite recently there was a fierce riot in Petrograd which was only quelled after much bloodshed."

Famous Grand Canyon of the Colorado is 6000 feet deep in its deepest part.

Italy is trying to stimulate railway travel by issuing half-price tickets.

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Franklin Mills FINE FLOUR
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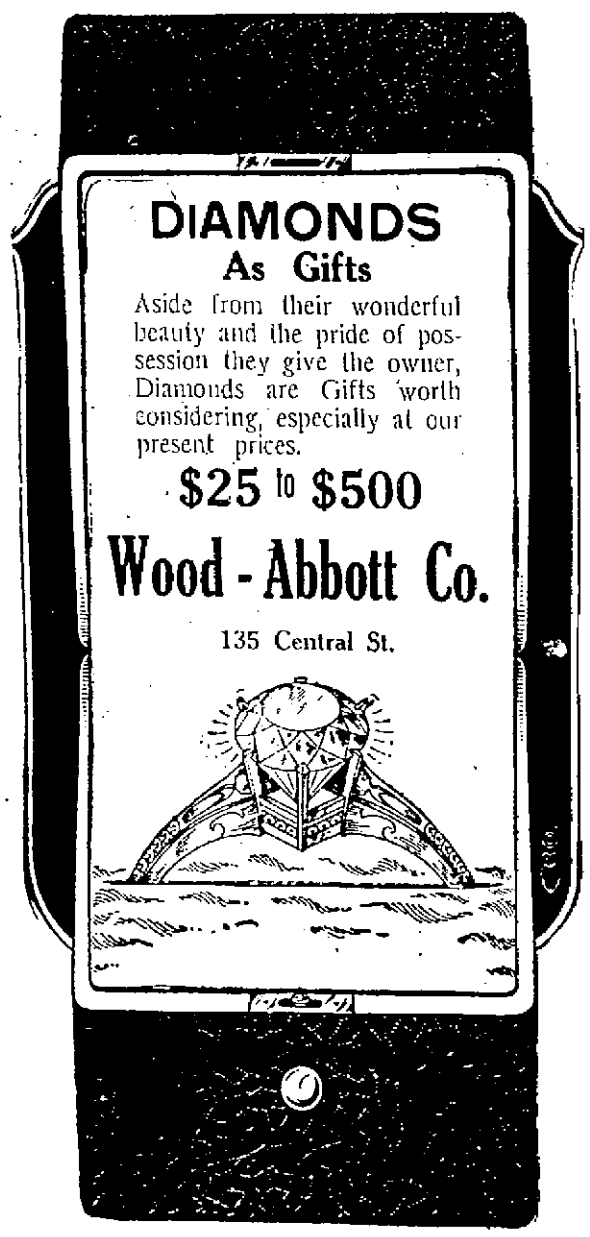

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HARVARD'S ASTRONOMICAL WORK IN PERU

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Dec. 9.—Harvard's astronomical work in Peru, the scope of which has been somewhat reduced in recent years, is expected to take on new importance with the return there of Professor Solon I. Bailey to take charge of the observatory at Arequipa. Professor Bailey has been the acting director of the Harvard college observatory here since the death of Professor Edward C. Pickering in 1919 until the recent appointment as director of Dr. Harlow Shapley of California. He expects to sail for Peru within a few months.

In addition to building up the general work of the Arequipa station, it is expected that Professor Bailey will find an opportunity to push to completion the study of globular star-clusters which has been his own special contribution to the astronomical research conducted under the auspices of Harvard.

It was Professor Bailey, himself, who first went to Peru in 1889 on behalf of the Harvard observatory to establish a South American station for the observation of the southern sky. The Harvard astronomers were then, as now, engaged in what might be called a comprehensive survey of the millions of stars in the sky, with special reference to the magnitudes and spectra of the individual stars.

From the observatory at Cambridge it is never possible to see more than three fourths of the heavens. Professor Pickering, as director, believed that to make the Harvard work complete it would be necessary to establish an auxiliary station in the southern hemisphere, and Uriah A. Boyden, a Boston engineer, bequeathed the funds which made possible the fulfillment of Professor Pickering's dream.

So Professor Bailey went to Peru. The high altitude, dry climate and clear atomsphere made Arequipa a superb place for astronomical work. The observatory there has served continuously as an auxiliary station to determine the magnitudes and spectra of southern stars, and in other respects to round out the studies undertaken at Harvard.

SHE SAYS SHE WILL KISS 'EM ALL

(By N.E.A. Service)

SOMERS POINT, N. J., Dec. 9—If you were a bride—

And were married by a justice of the peace—

And the justice were a woman—

Would you object if she kissed your husband?

Mrs. Cecelia Champion, justice of the peace at this little summer resort, just out of Atlantic City, declares she's going to kiss every man she transforms into a bridegroom.

MISS CECELIA CHAMPION

"And I'm going to specialize in marriages," Justice Champion says.

"I don't see how the women can object to my kissing the bridegrooms. Why, brides have always been kissed when the officiating justice or minister was a man!

"What shall I do if the bride objects? Well, remember, I'm justice of the peace."

Mrs. Champion also runs a boarding house at Somers Point. She says it would be an ideal place for a honeymoon.

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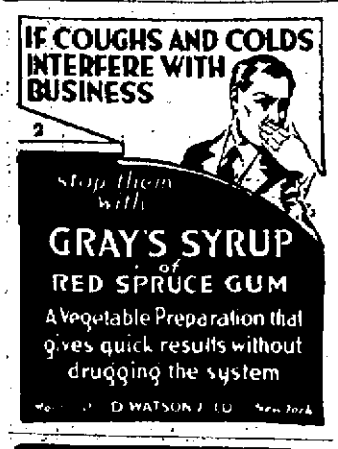
Tariff Covering British Imports

WELLINGTON, N. Z., Dec. 9.—The house of representatives has passed a tariff covering British imports. The measure gives preference to British goods on 400 items out of 601, or 200 more than under the old tariff. The bill required but seven days for passage from the time of its introduction.



Probe Killing at Kingston Inn

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man was injured while on a hunting trip with him. Roland later was quoted by the police as saying that he had been robbed of $2600, another man of $1400, and Gardner killed by two bandits who entered the inn. In this account, it was said, Roland found Gardner and another man in the inn garage transferring what appeared to be whiskey from one container to another.

Gardner was removed to the Jordan hospital at Plymouth after Dr. Dudley had attended him and died there an hour and a half after his arrival.

Man Arrested at Methuen

METHUEN, Dec. 9.—The Methuen police today took into custody and turned over to the state police, in connection with the fatal shooting of Elmer Gardner, at Kingston, last night, John Harnish, a chauffeur, of this town. Harnish, they said, had admitted being present at the Kingston Inn when the shooting occurred. His statement of what occurred was not made public. He was taken to Boston.

Harnish said he had known the dead man for several months, having met him at Middleton.

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MISS IRENE MURRAY, WHO WILL BECOME HEIRESS TO $15,000,000 IF HER MOTHER, MRS. GEORGE F. MURRAY, SUCCEEDS IN ESTABLISHING HER CLAIM TO THE NILSSON ESTATE. BELOW—LEFT, THE LATE COUNTESS NILSSON; RIGHT, MRS. MURRAY.

(By N.E.A. Service)

LYNN, Mass., Dec. 9.—A great lady of the stage, a rich count, a $15,000,000 fortune, a lost child, kidnapping, forgery, intrigue!

Could you combine these elements into a real romance if you gave your imagination full play?

All of them will be present in the story that will be revealed in court when Mrs. George F. Nilsson starts suit for her share of the $15,000,000 estate of Countess Christina Nilsson, famed a generation ago as the "Swedish nightingale."

Mrs. Murray asserts she is the countess' daughter. She has sent lawyers to Sweden with proof of her claims. A hot legal battle will start soon.

This is the story Mrs. Murray will tell:

"I was born in Worcester, Mass., Dec. 19, 1881, when Countess Nilsson was filling a concert engagement there. I believe I am the daughter of Countess Nilsson's second husband, Count Casa di Miranda.

"Countess Nilsson kept my birth a secret and gave me out for adoption. Years later she tried to find me but failed.

"Her estate for years before her recent death was administered by a nephew. He, I am told, informed her her long-lost daughter was dead."

Mrs. Murray will charge:

That lawyers representing some private interests offered her $25,000 and later $30,000 to relinquish her claims.

That representatives of the estate attempted to kidnap her in automobile.

That another attorney forged her signature to documents relinquishing claims to the estate.

Youngest Explorer Returns After 4 Years

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 9.—Harold S. Noice, who left here at the age of 16 in 1915 to join in Stefansson Arctic expedition, remaining in the north with the Eskimos, returned to his home here today aboard the coast guard cutter Unalga. Noice, credited with being one of the youngest explorers recorded, did not see a white man for four years. He said he had learned the native languages and planned to publish a compilation of them.

IMPROVEMENT AFTER NEW YEAR

General Feeling is Optimistic in All Lines of Industry, Says Federal Report

Spindles in N. E. Textile Mills Humming as Never Before Since Business Slump

BOSTON, Dec. 9. (By the Associated Press).—Spindles in New England textile mills are humming this pre-Christmas season as they have not hummed since the business slump which followed the war.

While returns from other New England industries do not reflect holiday conditions equally as bright, the federal employment survey is authority for the statement "the general feeling is optimistic for a marked improvement in all lines of industry after the new year."

The federal employment survey for

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CENTRAL and MARKET STS.

Final Decree in Science Case

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—Justice DeCourcy, of the supreme court today ordered final decrees to carry into effect the recent decision of the full bench in the Christian Science church litigation. This decision dismissed the suit brought by trustees of the Christian Science Publishing Society against the directors of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, to restrain them from interfering with the business of the publishing society, and held that the directors of the church had control over the trustees. In other respects also the final decree ordered today, supports the decision.

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Censorship Arguments—Opponents and Proponents Make Appeals to Voters

At the next state election the voters of Massachusetts will accept or reject the motion picture censorship law. Following are the arguments for and against the measure which will be sent to the voters by the secretary of the commonwealth. The argument for the proponents was prepared by B. Preston Clark, while that for the opponents was drawn up by Judge J. Albert Brackett, and signed also by Sybil H. Holmes, George W. Giles, Arthur H. Smith, Thomas B. Lothian, Thomas J. Mahan and Henry Abrahams.

The Argument For

The proposed law providing for state supervision of motion pictures was passed after a long study of the conditions under which films are presented in Massachusetts.

The legislature has twice gone on record in favor of this law by substantial majorities; the attorney general has given a favorable opinion on its constitutionality, and similar measures in other states have been held constitutional by the United States supreme court.

This law does not interfere with the present local licensing system of amusement places. It merely requires that films pass a minimum standard before being exhibited. It seeks to have this standard determined by a state department, legally responsible to the men and women of Massachusetts.

We believe this plan to be sound, sane and reasonable. It centres responsibility, and reflects the undoubted wish of the general public for cleanliness and decency with the least possible hardship to the industry.

The motion picture industry is the only great industry that has so far kept itself free from any control, and it stands practically alone in its activity to kill state censorship in Massachusetts.

Speaking before a senate committee of the New Jersey legislature on Mar. 21, 1921, William A. Brady said in part:

"You can't control this business, but I can. I am the president of the Producers' association and, with two or three other men, I control every foot of film shown in the United States. What we say goes. We can decide what shall be shown on every screen in the nation. There are some other companies independent of us but we control their output also, and all we have to do is to say to the exhibitors: 'What we tell you goes,' and not one of them will attempt to go against us. If they were to, we would withdraw our films from them and break them."

Has the time come when any great financial interest from outside our state shall say to our citizens, "You cannot have what you want, but what we desire you to have." Our policy of Massachusetts has always been that everything which is in constant and universal use shall be properly safeguarded by the strong arm of the state. We do so guard food, water, drugs, automobiles, telephones. It is common knowledge that the standards of the present films are such that their teachings put into practice would seriously mar the family life on which all civilization is based.

Massachusetts cannot say what California, where 95 per cent of American films are made, shall produce. But Massachusetts has the moral right and the responsibility of determining what shall be exhibited within her boundaries.

There is no well functioning control today. We have tried one method, which has failed to give us satisfactory films, and we believe this law will produce the results which the people of Massachusetts want to secure.

We have tried getting on without state control. Now let us vote to give this method a fair chance to prove its wisdom.

The Argument Against

You can't legislate morals into people. A one-man law is dangerous—that sort of government is Russian, not American. This act, in its attempt to do this, gives the commissioner of public safety, a political appointee, power to condemn any picture he determines as obscene, immoral or tends to debase morals or to incite to crime. Under these heads nothing would survive, for censors have decided that pictures of Christ carrying the cross, of people drinking, of trained animals, of a prolonged kiss, of western adventure, are portrayals of crime and are immoral, inhuman, obscene and injurious to youth.

Such a law provides a cloak under which a bigoted or narrow-minded official can do great harm.

It makes graft possible.

Censorship is costly and means higher prices of admission.

The screen provides necessary amusement to vast numbers cheaply—unwisely restricted it will not entertain.

It is argued on misleading statistics, that censorship is needed to protect the young. A picture is not bad because unfit for youth. Grown-ups have rights. Parents must determine what their children can see. The state cannot assume that sacred duty. The pictures reformers approve for the young do not attract. It leaves the alternate of the street, the recreation parks and the dance halls.

If the movies were the entertainment of the wealthy, like the grand opera, no self-constituted, superior class would interfere, as they never censor their own diversions.

Pictures cannot be so bad when the commissioner of public safety, whose duty it is to enforce the law, has never sought or secured the conviction of an exhibitor.

Existing laws under penalty of imprisonment forbid the advertising and showing of pictures which are lewd, obscene, immoral or tending to corrupt the morals of youth. Further, no picture can be exhibited in a city or town unless licensed by the mayor or selectmen. These officials do not sanction the harmful. It is unwise to abolish local control over amusements and place it in a state department, which can ignore local conditions. What man exists superior in judgment to every one else? If not that, he is useless as a censor.

Did you see immorality in the "Four Horsemen," "The Passion Play" or "Way Down East"? The censors did!

Do you believe "Daddy-Long-Legs" harmful because it makes poor little girls discontented, and that cowboy dramas incite youths to become bandits?

Did your morals get a jolt from "The Miracle Man" or did "Hamlet" incite you to crime?

Do you want someone to tell you what you cannot see or do? You want to use your own judgment. Why lose freedom of thought and selection? One man couldn't pass on 1 per cent of the films and others of his choosing would do the work.

President Harding says: "A people cannot be fortunate with various standards of censorship." Secretary of State Hughes declares: "Censorship is un-American and intolerable."

If, you value local government and personal liberty, vote "No."

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By N.E.A. Service

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When the producers were about to give up in despair Miss Sinclair was found. She squeezed into the gown and the show was held.

Miss Sinclair is almost twice as slender as the Venus di Medici. That classical lady had a 27.3-inch waistline.

And even Annette Kellerman, modern beauty, measures 26.2. The average waistline of girl students at Wellesley college is 24.6 inches.

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I would like very much to have all the dear little children of Lowell come and meet me. From the depot I will parade down Middlesex St., to Central St., then up Merrimack St., as far as your City Hall, then return down Merrimack St., to my Headquarters at Chalifoux's Toyland.

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Libby's Salmon	26¢
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Men's Lisle Hose, good weight, black, cordovan, navy and grey... 25¢

Men's Wool Sweaters, with V neck or coat style, sizes 34 to 44, $4.98

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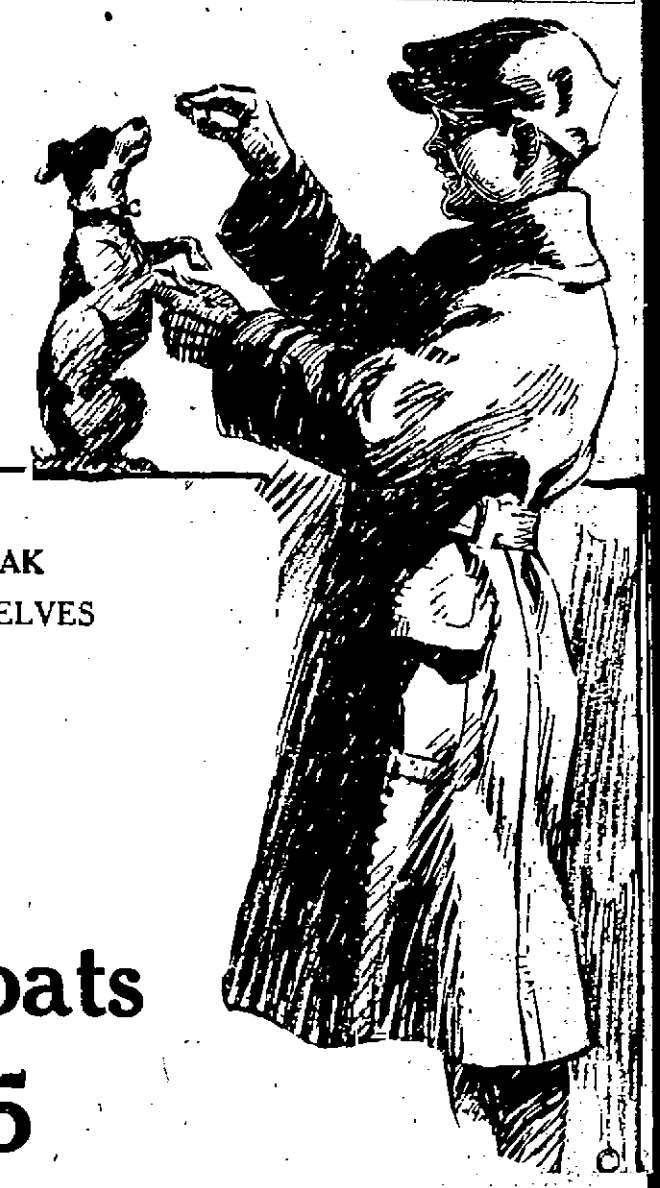

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Unity, Prime Requisite of Art, in "Wallingford" Film

DORIS KENYON AND SAM HARDY, WHO HEAD A SPLENDID CAST IN THE FILM VERSION OF "GET-RICH QUICK WALLINGFORD"

By JAMES W. DEAN

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Any true work of art, regardless of its form, must possess unity. That is the element most overlooked by photoplay directors.

They tell their story and overlook character delineation. They sketch their characters with realism and overlook continuity.

Only at rare intervals is there a picture produced with flawless continuity and true character delineation, a picture possessing unity.

"Get-Rick-Quick Wallingford" is one of these rare pictures. Frank Borzage is the director. He proved his talent at developing character in "Humoresque," although the continuity of the last reel or two of that was sadly beaddled.

The film is based on the George M. Cohan stage version of the George Randolph Chester stories and adheres closely to the stage pattern. In fact, there is not one exterior scene in the film.

This will be hard to believe when you see the picture because you are shown the outside of the Palace hotel at Battlesburg, Ia., the hitching rack, and a tree. A horse and rig drive up at frequent intervals. However, the entire picture was taken in the studio. It proves how closely the camera and the scenic artist can approximate nature.

Humor abounds in this picture from start to fade-out. It lies in the subtitles, in characterizations of small town types, in satire upon the gullibility of the American public.

Wallingford, seeking to bamboozle the citizens of Battlesburg by promoting stock in a covered tack factory, realizes a legitimate commercial success. The town booms. Investors become millionaires.

Wallingford and his co-conspirator, Blackie Daw, fall in love and stay to reap the reward of "deepest respect and admiration" that is the lot of honest capitalists.

Sam Hardy, although a bit camera conscious, was excellent as the swaggering, poised J. Rufus Wallingford.

Doris Kenyon, as the stenographer who fell in love with Wallingford, gives one of the best exhibitions of self-control shown by any actress of the screen this year. She did not try to make a Queen of Sheba role out of a stenographer's bit.

Others of the cast did much to add to the comedy of a very comic picture.

A Film Stenographer

Doris Kenyon quit her job as a stenographer in "Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford." All she had to do was to get her hat and cloak and walk out.

That was quite surprising. One would expec a stenographer to delve into the recesses of her desk and bring forth a number of personal, even intimate, belongings, before quitting an office.

However, the girls of Battlesburg, Ia., may not use rouge, lipstick and powder puff except in the privacy of their boudoirs.

"The Man From Home"

Strikes on Italian railroads have caused a slight delay in George Fitzmaurice's production of "The Man From Home." Jose Ruben, a director, joined the company at Rome to play a part in the film. James Kirkwood and Anna Q. Nilsson head the cast.

Tallest Movie Actress

The tallest woman in the movies is Blanche Payson of the Sunshine Comedies. She's 6 feet 3 inches tall and weighs 225 pounds. She formerly was a San Francisco policewoman.

Camera! Camera!

"Playing With Fire," Gladys Walton's next.

Lucille Carlisle has been re-engaged as leading woman in Larry Semon comedies.

Reginald Barker has gone to the snow fields of the Yosemite for scenes for the film version of "The Storm."

Another one of those inane title changes—"Good For Nothing" changed to "Polly of the Follies." Constance Talmadge is the star.

Betty Blythe appears as an Italian countess in Rex Beach's next picture, a story of Sicilian vengeance. The play may be called "Vengeance."

William V. Mong is a popular man at Hollywood these days. He breeds hogs and has a few young pigs that will make prime roasts at Christmas.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres Own Press Agents

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Your guess as to how "Sawing a Woman in Half" is done at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, is as good as is that of any other person. Nobody will doubt that a big cross-cut saw is actually used in cutting the box in two parts, and everybody is about agreed that a live, breathing woman is in that box when the teeth of the saw start ripping the wood. Furthermore, a committee selected by chance from the audience is on the stage during the performance of the illusion by the Great Jansen. Nobody who has been a member of that committee—and all of them have been well known persons—can conceive how the mystery is produced. They have held the woman's head and her feet during the process, and have therefore, been as close to the whole thing as Jansen himself. It is easily the most wonderful piece of mystic art produced on a local stage since Hermann and Kellar were in their prime.

OPERA HOUSE

"The Little Church Around the Corner," the melodramatic success that is being presented this week by the Lowell Players at the Opera House, is unquestionably one of the most entertaining stock offerings of the season. Capacity audiences testify to its general popularity. "Friend Jim," John Meehan's own creation, with Mr. Meehan appearing in the cast, will be next week's production. Needless to say that the large number of admirers of Mr. Meehan will be on hand to witness this presentation. It will be recalled that his last production, presented here while he was with the Players, scored one of the real hits of the season. "Friend Jim" is said to be far better than any of his previous efforts.

THE STRAND

"No Woman Knows," the big melodrama of the year, is being shown at The Strand. If you haven't seen it, you should. Edith Roberts in "Opened Shutters," is the other feature.

CROWN THEATRE

A motion picture that will strike home to many young American married couples is "Dangerous Curve Ahead," a Goldwyn feature, written by Rupert Hughes, which comes to the Crown theatre for two days, commencing today. Miss Helene Chadwick, called the "most photographed girl in America," has the principal role.

The story of the play concerns the early married life of a small-town girl who was the belle of her community before her marriage to an easy going domestically inclined husband. Inwardly chafing under the restraints imposed by the cares of her home, and the rearing of her two children, she seizes the first opportunity to to taste again of the butterfly life in society, while her husband is away on business.

How she avoids the Dangerous Curve, and is brought to her senses by the illness of her little child, eagerly resuming the yoke of domesticity, is dramatically portrayed.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

William Farnum in "Perjury," Wanda Hawley in "A Kiss in Time," and Johnny Hines in "Torchy's Promotion," feature the current program at the Merrimack Square theatre.

RIALTO THEATRE

The excellent attendance at the Rialto theatre this week at presentations of "The Three Musketeers," in which Douglas Fairbanks is seen at his very best, is in keeping with showings elsewhere of this wonderful screen version of the great Dumas classic.

The story has been widely read and to those, who have enjoyed it additional charm and interest is diffused by the Fairbanks' characterization, which is that of a rollicking restless, irresistible swordsman who seems happy only when standing off one or a half-dozen blades or in some unusual act of chivalry or love-making. To those who have been denied the pleasure of reading this great novel, a rare treat is in store by visiting the Rialto theatre this week, for the adventures of "D'Artagnan" will have the added interest that comes to those not familiar with the thrills and unexpected happenings as conceived in the brain of Dumas.

"The Three Musketeers" will be shown four times daily for the balance of the week, and a special scale of popular prices has been arranged. On Saturday at 10.30 there will be a special matinee for children.

"WAY DOWN EAST"

D. W. Griffith's wonder spectacle, "Way Down East," which comes to the Rialto theatre for seven days commencing Monday, Dec. 12, is assured a wonderful reception from the hearty response that Manager Prager has evidenced from his patrons.

No theatrical attraction of the year has created the stir that has followed since the opening presentation of this production was given such unstinted praise that it has been acclaimed the greatest picture of all times.

"Way Down East" as you know, was a play by Lottie Blair Parker which Joseph R. Grismer helped adapt to the stage and enjoyed unusual popularity for over a decade upon the regular stage. D. W. Griffith has taken this basic story and by his new art form which represents a combination of music, drama and motion pictures, has produced a classic. It pictures New England rural life with a fidelity and charm which cannot be approached under any circumstances. To this absorbing tale of love and lovers Mr. Griffith has given it those touches which make his work something apart from all other forms of dramatic and pictorial entertainment. Its great punch comes after the former story would ordinarily terminate and is the greatest scene ever conceived in the theatre.

THE AFFAIRS OF JANE

IRISH REPUBLIC BONDS TO BE REFUNDED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The new Irish Free State, in assuming the obligations in this country of the Irish Republic, amounting to about $6,000,000, Stephen M. O'Mara, mayor of Limerick and fiscal agent of the Irish government, said last night they will probably convert them into bonds bearing interest at 5 per cent, to correspond to the rates of the certificates.

There had been, he said, two issues of certificates placed in the United States, one amounting to $5,300,000, and the second, which was floated only to the extent of $385,000 in Illinois and $30,000 in the District of Columbia.

Mr. O'Mara expressed the belief that the bonds would be of short maturity, in view of the smallness of the sums raised in this country as compared to the annual revenue of Ireland, which he estimated at $250,000,000 a year.

LONDON, Dec. 8 Students of the new Irish settlement terms gave it yesterday as their opinion that the terms contain nothing to prevent the Irish Free State from redeeming bonds issued by the Irish Republic. Several million dollars' worth of these bonds, it is recalled, were subscribed for in the United States.

It is understood the new state will share with Great Britain the cost of compensation for the life and property destroyed in the recent strife.

$200,000 in Drugs and 30 Chinese Seized

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Thirty Chinese were arrested and drugs valued at $200,000 were confiscated and one of the most elaborate opium-smoking establishments ever discovered in Chicago, broken up by a raid earl ytoday. A small five-story building on the northern fringe of Chicago, broken up by a raid early today. A small five-story building on hte northern fringe of Chicago's Chinatown had been remodelled, with scores of tiny rooms partitioned off on the upper floors. Repeated search of the labyrinthine passages disclosed caches of opium and yenoshi, many Chinese still smoking and others just leaving rooms where smoking pipes had been dsopped. One rom wa sstacked high with cans of crude opium.

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HARDING'S MESSAGE

Four recommendations in President Harding's second message delivered to the congress at Washington Tuesday are of particular importance and are creating exceptional interest throughout the country. They are his recommendations as to national control of strikes and other forms of industrial warfare, the establishment of organized and co-operative selling and distributing agencies for the farmers, support of American shipping without discriminating duties against foreign bottoms, and a provision for meeting special revenue emergencies or abnormal conditions without the uncertainties, disadvantages and dangers of the so-called American valuation scheme.

In his declaration of the rights of both labor and capital to organize, he says nothing really new. In adding farther on in his message, the statement that organized labor has no right to conduct itself to the injury of the general public, he also states that organized capital must not conduct itself in unlawful manner. These statements are platitudinous, even if the president did think it best to repeat them once more. The rights of labor and capital to organize are pretty well known nowadays.

The message contains a little more emphatic recommendations when it comes to existing commercial treaties. He tells the congress that he has not complied with its demand for a termination of existing commercial treaties, so as to enable this country to set up differential import duties against any goods brought in to us in other than American ships, because to do so "would involve us in a chaos of trade relationships" and make our commercial and industrial troubles worse than they already are. Mr. Harding, however, goes farther and states that the administration is working out a plan which promises to save the American merchant marine. Nothing is said about any subsidy, but the merits of the "new plan" to aid our merchant ships are soon to be made known; and the president hopes they will go through legislative channels on an even keel.

The message notes the growth of foreign shipments of low-priced goods to this country, and he shows himself to be well informed when he says very frankly that American industry and American employment need protection against the threatened flood of imports that may be irresistible unless strenuous measures are taken to stop the inundation. Foreign exporting countries are now working under conditions fast approaching pauper labor costs. The debased currency values in many European countries are already well known.

It will take some time to work out to the satisfaction of everybody interested, a tariff scheme which will reasonably equalize the cheapest labor cost article abroad with the higher labor cost article here in the United States and yet not exclude entirely the articles of other countries whose cost of production is lower than ours.

The home market must be duly protected, but the duties must not be prohibitive as some of the extreme protectionists would like to have them. Some lines of European goods may be desirable here; but not to the extent of closing American mills and keeping American workmen idle.

THE LICENSE QUESTION

On the ballot at the municipal election next Tuesday, there will be a question relative to licensing the so-called saloons of which we hear so much at the present time. It will be as follows:

Shall licenses be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in the city?

Of course, if what is charged against the near-beer places were true, it would be advisable to vote "No" on this question and have them closed; but they are licensed and cannot be closed except for good and sufficient cause.

As to whether the citizens should vote "Yes" or "No" on this question, let it be remembered that it would be foolish to adopt any extreme policy in regard to such matters. The people should have some place in which they can quench their thirst other than at the faucet and the soda fountain. There is need of some substitute for the liquor saloon, whether it be called a coffee house or something else. Most men after their hard day's work long for a place where they can sit down and have a little social enjoyment with their friends. Any means of supplying working men with the social features of the old liquor saloon would be a great help in the strict enforcement of the prohibition law. It is not for drink men crave so much as for sociability. This might be supplied in some form of club house, provided with temperance drinks; a reading room, a card room and a smoking room.

On the question on the ballot, we believe it would be wrong to vote "No" for the reason that it is well not to go to fanatical extremes in such matters.

TIPS FROM TOKIO

Even the Japanese, regarded as a somewhat "isolated people in many respects, can give the world a tip on national relations that sometimes carries much weight and force and should be heeded. It has been a rule in Japanese diplomatic quarters to keep mum ahead of time, say very little when the time comes, and look before leaping always.

A sharp comment comes to hand this week from the Orient, this time through the channels of the Tokio Kokumin, a lively newspaper which deals regularly with world affairs in frank and sometimes caustic editorial vein. The Kokumin editorial staff, it appears, has been watching the nip-and-tuck verbal combat in progress between English and French statesmen and the leading journals of those countries. Undoubtedly the Japanese newspaper, which sometimes claims to speak "from the throne," has been paying more attention to editorial comments on the Anglo-French diplomatic relations of 1921 than to the actual doings of the conference. And yet in many ways the Japanese opinion of the Anglo-French controversial squabbles that have stirred both nations during the past three months, is based upon intimate knowledge of the situation in both countries, but as might be expected, favors England, the ally of Japan. Evidently the Japanese statesmen who were not able to come to Washington, are keeping a close watch upon the course of events, as affecting the various nations participating in the conference.

THE WANDERING WHALE

From Newburyport comes a story as strange as it is apparently true. One W. C. Webster of that city, we are told, went to Boston Tuesday seeking a market for a chunk of ambergris, which he claims to have found on the beach at Plum Island, near the mouth of the Merrimack. Ambergris is a waxy secretion from sperm whales, and is used in the manufacture of fine perfumes. It is very scarce. The ambergris found by the Newburyport man, we are informed, weighs about two and one-half pounds, and some experts who appraised it, declared its value to be considerably more than $1,000.

The finding of this valuable product of sea-going monsters so near the mouth of the old Merrimack, leads students of the tidal waters to think hard and wonder much. Ambergris is usually found only in warmer waters.

And what was this sea-going denizen of the great depths doing around the mouth of the Merrimack?

Possibly he entered its estuary at Black Rocks to find a path to some other ocean retreat and finding instead the tainted tide of scourings from the factories, discharged the ambergris to counteract the foul odor.

There is here a problem for the naturalist as well as for the ichthyologist.

AS TO VALUES

George M. Pullman, founder of the Pullman company, had a $500,000 home that in its day was the most richly furnished residence in the country.

The furnishings of the Pullman home are sold to settle the estate. A revolving Sevres vase goes under the hammer for $175. It cost Pullman $2500. And so on, the house was stripped bare.

What is value? Economists say value is what it would cost to duplicate a thing. They are only partly right. Value is often sentimental, depending on the owner and circumstances. A starving, freezing millionaire in the Yukon would give his million for an ounce of bread and a small fire and under the circumstances he would not think the price too high.

GUARANTEEING DEPOSITS

In some states there is an agitation for a guarantee of bank deposits chiefly for the protection of commercial deposits. According to a financial authority, a commercial deposit is the result of an individual taking collateral to a bank and obtaining a loan on it. The bank credits the customer with a deposit on which he can draw. The guarantee of such a deposit is a guarantee that the bank will meet its loan. The matter is simple favor of it, although such a law is said to be working very well in some southern and western states where the character of collateral is more often uncertain than in this state.

AVERAGE INCOME

If you are an average American your income in 1913 was $351 for each member of the family. This rose to $629 in 1919. But it was only $358 in actual buying power, on the basis of prices you had to pay in 1913.

These figures come from the National Bureau of Economic Research, a name so formidable that it carries conviction.

Nearly all of us thought we were getting rich during the war. So we were on paper. The fellows who cashed in before the break walked off with the jack-pot.

THE IRISH SETTLEMENT

There will be objections to the Irish settlement on both sides from the Carsonian die-hards because it concedes so much, and from the Irishmen who have held out for complete independence, because it falls short of that ideal. President de Valera's protest may mean that he will demand certain improvements. The Dail Eireann, however, will decide on behalf of Ireland and the settlement will probably be adopted in some form.

NOTA BENE

Nota Bene—Is December 6 destined to become one of our great national holidays?—Courier-Citizen.

Yes, possibly the United States would so signalize the day on which England decided to grant a measure of justice to a country she had wronged for 750 years.

Last Sunday an attempt was made to conduct a Bolshevist meeting here. It seems that those who do not like our form of government should emigrate to Russia, where they will find Bolshevism in all its power and magnificence. We can readily spare the man who prefers the soviet form of government to that of the United States.

SEEN AND HEARD

No Romeos have yet complained about the darkened parlors.

Who's going to be the first to invent a chainless tire?

Lizzie has rivals. In France they call 'em Paulettes, Yvonnes and Suzannes!

John Cotter says there are only a few of 'em who buy out of their turn these days.

"They're all hot!" has a new meaning with those "loaded" frankfurts from the bootleggers' kingdom.

"Doc" Bartlett says the stingiest man in Lowell is using Christmas seals off last year's packages.

The old handkerchief still leads in the Christmas gift popularity race. When in doubt—buy a handkerchief has been the custom since Adam got his first clothes hamper.

The difference between the speaker of the English house of commons and the lord chancellor, who occupies a similar position in the house of lords, is that while the speaker cannot take part in debates and can vote only when there is a tie, the lord chancellor is entitled to speak and vote on all occasions.

Getting After 'Em

The lazy husband is giving Hope, Ind., a wide berth.

Because the authorities have unearthed an ancient ordinance known as the "lazy husband act." It provides 60 days in jail at hard labor for husbands who don't contribute to the family chest. And prosecution of the ancient statute is being pushed by a secret organization of women! Already some men have been sent to the rock pile. The local grocer says he never saw so few whittlin' out in front of the store, by heck!

Garrison Finish

The editor of a "thriller" magazine ordered a story of a certain length and discovered that the author had written several hundred words too many. In order to make the story fit the space at his disposal, the last few paragraphs were condensed into a single sentence. This is the way it read: "Von Berken took a small glass of whiskey, his hat, his departure, no notice to his pursuers a revolver out of his pocket, and, finally, his life."

Hard Paring

Otto Kahn of New York, said on his return from France: "I like France, but in motoring there in these post-war days the wayside inns are apt to charge you big prices for slim accommodation. A man motoring in Touraine complained one morning at breakfast: 'There's something queer about this coffee. It has a kind of cocoa taste.' The waiter smelled the liquid, tasted it and then said: 'I am sorry sir, but by mistake I've brought you tea.'"—Detroit Free Press.

Somewhat Particular

The poulterer had just received some live chickens in a crate from the country. The crate was just being lifted off a cart as Mrs. Newlywed entered to buy the Sunday dinner. "If you like, ma'am," offered the poulterer, "I'll kill and dress a couple of these chickens and send them over to your house." "Well," replied the young housekeeper, hesitating cautiously, "if you are positive that they are fresh you may."—Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph.

A Time for All Things

"'Pears like Polk Sawney, that runs the store at the crossroads, hain't over-rid with enterprise," commented a citizen of Fiddle Creek, Ark. "Tuther day, frinstance, I went there in the middle of the afternoon to buy a little something, talk a few politics, and so forth. When I sa'ntered in nobody was in sight on the place. But after I'd tromped around for a spell a sleepy voice from under the counter sorter snarled: "'If you're a drummer that aims to sell me something, I don't want it; and if you're a customer that is figgering on buying something, why in fury can't you just as well come around some time when I haint plumb—yaw-w-w-w-wa—wore out?"—Kansas City Star.

Rain In Reserve

The proprietor of a certain store is forever scolding his employes for their indifference in the matter of possible sales. One day, hearing a clerk say to a customer, "No, we have not had any for a long time," the proprietor, unable to countenance such an admission, began to work himself into the usual rage. Fixing a glassy eye on the clerk, he said to the customer, "We have plenty in reserve, sir—plenty downstairs!" Whereupon the customer looked dazed; and then, to the amazement of the proprietor, burst into hysterical laughter and walked out of the shop. "What did he say to you?" demanded the proprietor of the clerk. "'We haven't had any rain lately.'"

The Organ Grinder

His organ is old and his music is old—
Dull tunes of a day gone by.
But Pietro himself is the oldest of all;
Alas, how the years can fly!

When I was a kiddie he played those same tunes—
(Just when I shall never tell);
But I tossed back my curls and I picked up my skirts
And danced as the twilight fell!

But though he and I were the very best friends
He never could speak to me,
Because I spoke English, and Pietro, you know,
Was fresh from fair Italy!

Yes, Pietro is old now, but now he can speak
Our Merican language, too,
And I've been to college and learned to recite
The lingua that Dante knew.

And so, when he passes, I say to him now;
"Buon' serra e come sta?"
While he doffs his cap and replies with a smile:
"Ah, good, and me hope you are."

—VIOLET ALLEYN STOREY, in New York Sun.

Don't Put It Off

If ailing, don't put off seeing your doctor till after the holidays. Early treatment will save pain, money, perhaps a life. See your doctor, then have his prescription compounded at a prescription store.

No soda, no candy, but everything in drugs.

Howard Apothecary 197 Central St.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

Mr. Patrick O'Hearn, who was treasurer of the Irish bond drive here, discussing the Irish question with a Sun man yesterday, said:

"It does not seem best to have much to say in regard to the published reports of the agreement between the British minister and cabinet, and the commission representing the Dail Eireann, as yet. If, however, the negotiations should be ratified by both sides, the result of the meeting at the Lloyd George Mansion between the hours of 11 p. m. on the 5th of December and 3 a. m. on the 6th, will be recorded as one of the most important and momentous events in history as far as it relates to the peace of the world.

"The latest despatch in the papers on the evening of the 5th of December was, that Lloyd George was to visit King George that evening, but few, if any, persons expected the startling news to which the world was treated on Tuesday morning.

"I believe it will prove one of the most far sighted and the wisest enactments ever sanctioned by the British government if the settlement goes through in a form acceptable to the Irish people.

"The participants are deserving of much praise in finding a way to unravel the political tangles of seven centuries, in such an amicable and apparently satisfactory manner. Despite some criticism on both sides, I expect to see the treaty adopted in something like its original form.

The Lowell Public Warehouse corporation on Market street, which is one of the latest local business concerns to expand and reach out for more new business, is issuing a large number of new and unique telephone lists, sending them out to old as well as prospective customers. The first page contains a large engraving of a bale of cotton, with the name of the corporation and that of President and General Manager William G. Walsh on the lower part of the frontispiece. The bale is well drawn, showing the familiar four baling hoops and the wrapping material slightly torn in several places, allowing bits of the white cotton to stick out for inspection. Pages 2, 3, 4 and 5 contain lists of Boston cotton brokers with their telephone numbers. On page 6 is a list of Lowell's cotton mills, as well as the names of other large manufacturing plants such as those in the business of hosiery, stockings, waste, rugs and fibres. Running over from page 6 onto page 7 are telephone addresses of woolen, felt, carpet, plush, bunting, hosiery, worsted, yarn, silesia and numerous other textile corporations. There is a large map of the city of Lowell, with business lines radiating from this point to 13 New England industrial cities. On the last page of this useful gift is a complete calendar for the New Year. It is a neat method of advertising and customers of the progressive Market street warehouse will appreciate it as a useful book of reference.

CHURCH CHRISTMAS SALE SUCCESS

The Christmas sale conducted by the King's Daughters of the First Baptist church yesterday afternoon and evening was very satisfactory. The affair was held in the vestry of the church and was largely attended. There were only three tables and the prices for the goods on sale, 25, 50 and 75 cents and those in charge reported a thriving business.

In the early part of the evening a cafeteria supper was served and later a pleasing entertainment was given, those participating being Mrs. Anna Roth Large, Mrs. Eva Stokes, Albert Guerin, Warren T. Reid, Mrs. Agnes Chapman. The affair was brought to a close with the presentation of "A Love of a Bonnet," a most delightful sketch, which was given by the pupils of Mrs. Harold Brown's Sunday school class.

The committee was headed by Mrs. Craven Midgley and those in charge of the tables were as follows: 75-cent table, Miss Minnie G. Walsh, Mrs. Frank Kimball and Mrs. Harry Stocks; 50 cent table, Miss Adelaide Noyes and Mrs. George Topjian; 25-cent table, Mrs. James Myers and Mrs. John Thorne, Mrs. William Mitchell had charge of the candy, while Mrs. Geo. Simmons looked after the cafeteria.

Dear Santa: Bring us lower prices, disarmament, business and jobs.

Vacant heads are never rented.

When the Red Cross roll is called up yonder will you be there?

One woman couldn't hang Arbuckle so she hung the jury.

The shortest days of the year have come; but a pat on the back still shortens them some.

It's easy to shimmy when the furnace is broken.

We wanted the Japs to take a three on their first throw and they wanted a seven. Do you shoot dice?

One may shop from sun to sun; but Christmas shopping's never done.

All a man gets by arguing with his wife is in bad.

The movie star who claims her beauty is worth $80,000 must have the receipted bills to prove it.

Wise men never go hunting with their enemies.

Greatest Christmas savings plan is Christmas cards.

The minister who says women's dress freedom is sanctioned by the bible took his text from "Revelations."

First day of 1922 is Sunday, so we can get a good start.

If you think kids are not for disarmament, watch their wooden soldiers closely.

Ford says he wants a million men if he gets Muscle Shoals and a million men hope he gets it.

Only six more months until Pullman, motor and box cars will be loaded with birds returning north.

Berton Braleys Daily Poem
Still With Us

Where is the old dime novel
And where is the nickel sheet,
With all their glories of breathless stories
That once we would fairly eat?
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With not a redeeming trait?
Where is the girl with the vagrant curl
And the hero so tall and straight?
Where is the constant shooting,
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For the old dime novel's prospered
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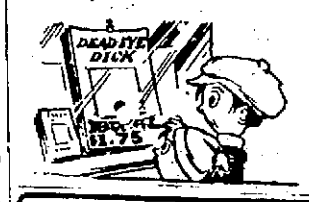

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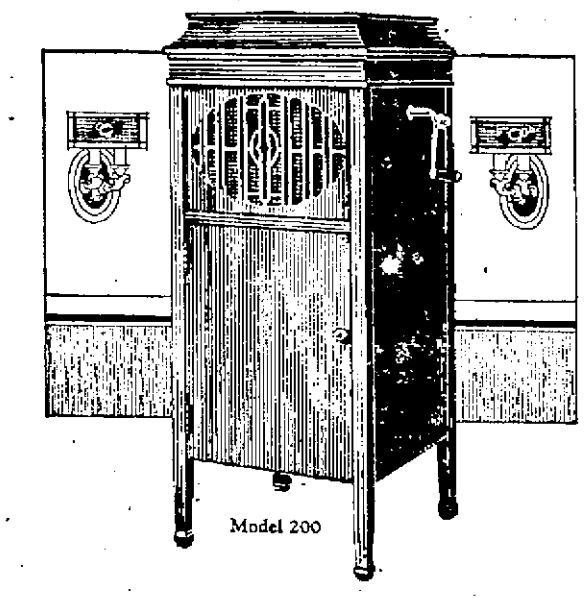

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LIFE INSURANCE HEADS

Convention in New York—Asa S. Wing Discusses Life Insurance Investments

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Real estate mortage loans have far outdistanced railroad securities as the leading investment held by life insurance companies, according to original statistics submitted to the 15th annual convention of the association of life insurance presidents here today.

Speaking on "A Decade of Life Insurance Investments," Asa S. Wing, president of the Provident Life and Trust company of Philadelphia, stated that the real estate mortgage loans of the life companies have doubled in ten years, increasing from $1,228,000,000 at the end of 1911 to $2,468,000,000 on Oct. 31 of this year.

Investments in railroad securities were $1,383,000,000 at the end of 1911 as against $1,793,000,000 at the end of 1920. Real estate mortgage lions form more than 32 per cent. of the total assets of the companies now, while railroad securities, which formed more than 35 per cent. 10 years ago, have dropped to 26 per cent. Policy loans of $520,000,000 rank third and United States government bonds of $772,000,000 are a close fourth, being 11.30 per cent. of the assets. Other investments include state, county and municipal bonds and real estate. The total assets of the companies are in excess of $7,300,000,000.

Referring to the huge increase in real estate mortgage loans, President Wing said much of it had gone to the farmers, but that there is now a discernible trend toward the city again to meet housing requirements. On this point he said:

"In order that this convention might have the latest data as to the trend of life insurance investments in mortgage loans, 47 companies holding more than 93 per cent. of the assets of American companies have just made the reports showing the total amount of their farm and city mortgages as of October 31, 1921.

"I find that $261,900,000 has been added in the ten months from Dec. 31, 1920, to Oct. 31, 1921, making a total of $2,468,600,000 real estate mortgage loans on Oct. 31 of this year. Of this total, $1,247,300,000 is on farm property and $1,221,300,000 on city property. Therefore, for the first time in many years, if not for the first time in the history of the country, the total amount of farm loans held by life insurance companies now exceeds the loans on city property, the proportion being 50.53 per cent. loans on farms as against 49.47 per cent. on city property.

"Of the increase of $261,900,000 in mortgage loans during the first ten months of this year, $161,300,000 is in farm mortgages and $100,600,000 in city mortgages. The increase in farm mortgages is greater in amount than the increase in the city mortgages during these ten months, as was the case in 1920, but there is still the same tendency that I previously pointed out, namely, to increase the proportion of loans on city property as compared with farms.

"This trend of investments toward the city has been strongly manifested since 1919 and can be shown most clearly by the proportion of new money going into each class of mortgages during the last few years.

Please note, during 1918 and 1919, that 91.03 per cent. of all the net increase in loans was on farm property and 8.97 per cent. on city property. In 1920, the proportion of money invested in farm loans dropped to 63.78 per cent., while the city loans increased to 36.22 per cent.

"During the first ten months of 1921, the same tendency has continued and the proportion of farm loans has dropped to 61.59 per cent. while that on city property has increased to 38.41 per cent. With justifiable pride, speaking at an insurance gathering, I can point to the investment of life insurance funds where the greatest need of the nation has called. During the last six years it was vital for this nation, for itself and the part it was playing, that our agriculture should be stimulated to highest productivity. That the companies met this condition is shown in the percentage of agricultural loans. There is at the moment another imperative demand—that of construction catching up with deferred building in our cities. The national tendency of insurance company investments to meet imperative, justifiable demands is made equally clear in the now perceptible trend toward city loans again."

Another striking effect of the recent world war on life insurance investments is shown in their holdings of United States bonds. On this point Mr. Wing said:

"At the end of 1911, before these bonds were listed as a separate item, the life insurance companies held about $520,000 of them as compared with seven hundred and seventy-two millions at the end of 1920. The appearance of United States bonds as a separate life insurance investment item occurs in the tables beginning with the year 1917, when the amount had increased to nearly $63,000,000—a little more than one per cent. of all the assets. Three years later, with the amount increased to seven hundred and seventy-two millions, the percentage is 11.30 per cent. of the total assets and 26 per cent. of all the companies' current investments during the nine-year period."

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

FORGET-ME-NOT DAY TO REPAIR WRONGS

BY ROBERT S. MARX
Commander, The Disabled American Veterans of the World War

The other day I received from a disabled service man a letter. He told me of his distress. The government had been giving vocational training to enable him to be a lawyer.

It has sent him to school for a year and then suddenly, declaring him rehabilitated, stopped his education and cut off his allowance wherewith he was supporting a wife and child.

In this state where this young man lives, one may be admitted to the practice of law on application to a county court after only a year's reading of law. Therefore, the government considered him "rehabilitated."

He writes to me: "Today I was told I could practice law. But, honestly, I cannot practice law. I haven't enough education. But they say I'm a lawyer and to go out and practice."

In this way the government has been cutting off hundreds of men from vocational training before they have completed their training.

Instead of considering every case individually, it has made general arbitrary rules. So that after a man has been in training a certain length of time, the government says to him: "You are rehabilitated," whether he is rehabilited or not.

Vocational training that goes only half way is wasted. It is a waste of the time of the man, and a waste of the money of the government. And it is not just.

It is to fight for justice that my comrades are organized as The Disabled American Veterans of the World War. They don't want charity. They ask only for a chance to make good, but they want a real chance. They want to be put back on both feet, put on one foot. They have a right to believe that the promises made to them ought to be kept.

It is to remind the country of these promises that Forget-Me-Not Day will be observed on December 17. Through the sale of forget-me-nots, the Disabled American Veterans of the World War hope to be enabled to carry on the fight for the kind of justice that will put disabled men back on both feet.

EX-SOLDIER HAS A GOOD STOMACH

"If a man spends six years in the army he surely would have to have a good stomach. I have a good one now and Foley Cathartic Tablets made it that way. If any one does not believe this, let him write to Arthur L. Lyons, 454 Cincinnati St., Dayton, Ohio." That is from a letter received by Foley & Co.

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Men's Heavy Wool Mixture Hose, black and brown, ... 10c Pair
Men's 50c and 75c Suspenders 25c
Men's 50c Heather Woolen Socks 19c
Men's 50c Gauntlet Gloves, with leather palm, for 25c
Men's $1.25 Blue Denim Overalls and Jumpers, made with block seams 79c
Men's $1.25 Flannelette Shirts, for 79c
Men's Heavy Woolen Gloves, black and grey, 69c value, now for .....39c Pair
Men's Cotton Mixture Sweaters, V neck, grey only, regular $1.50 value, now for 79c
Men's Blue Chambray Shirts .....59c Up
Men's Heavy Wool Socks, $1.00 value, now for 39c
Boys' Union Suits, best make, sizes 6-16, regular $1.25 value, now for 79c
Boys' Flannel Blouses, for 39c

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Infants' White Dresses .....39c up to $2.00
Infants' Chinchilla and Cashmere Capes $1.98 Up
Children's Chinchilla Coats .....$2.25 Up
Children's Cashmere and Serge Coats....$1.98 Up
Children's Sweaters, $1.25 value, now for....79c
Children's 25c Hose, in all colors, for.....10c
Children's Flannelette Bloomers, sizes 6 to 14, 39c value, now for 19c

MOTHER AND SISTER
Misses' Fine Ribbed Union Suits, regular $1.50 value, now for 79c
Ladies' Bungalow Aprons, elastic belt, fancy trimmed and shirred, regular $1.00 value, now for 59c
Ladies' Envelope Chemise, regular $1.00 value, now for 49c
Ladies' Flannelette Petticoats, 69c value, now 39c
Ladies' Flannelette Bloomers, 59c value, now for 39c
Ladies' All Wool Heather Sport Hose, $1.00 value, for 69c
Ladies' $2 and $3 Voile Waists—a few left at 98c
Ladies' White Petticoats, 8 in. embroidery dust ruffle, valued at 98c, now selling for....49c
Ladies' Sateen Petticoats, flowered, figured, fancy ruffle; regular $2.00 value, now for 79c and 98c
Ladies' Silk Hose, seamed back, black and cordovan, 79c value, now for 29c
Ladies' Alliance Union Suits, jersey ribbed, fleece lined, straps over shoulder, a good $2.00 value any time, now for 98c
Ladies' Black Sateen Petticoats, $1.00 value, for 59c
Ladies' Flannelette Nightgowns, $1.00 value..69c
$2.00 Ladies' Flannelette "Billie Burkes"....79c

Ladies' Heavy Bathrobes $3.98 and up. Biggest Bargain in Town.
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SUSPENERS ..... 25¢ to $1.00
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Many Other Useful Gifts for Christmas Will be Found Here.

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241 Central Street—Opp. Rialto Theatre

A SLEEVE FROM THE PAST
BY MARIAN HALE

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—The coat dress is always popular because it is so utilitarian. Many of them are included in the models being prepared for spring.

This Norman and Katz dress is straight of line and quite short as some of the more tailored garments are in spite of the lengthening tendency of frocks and gowns for afternoon and evening wear.

The sleeves, like so many for the incoming season are quite loose and simply gathered at the hand, reminiscent of a former day.

The ruching or ruffle falling over the hand, is another note borrowed fom fashion's past—exceedingly popular was that trick because it was kind to not quite beautiful hands.

The dress is girdled in metal

Ermine is used for the band trimming.

Pre-Inventory Sale

We are about to take our annual inventory, and we are going to lighten our work by reducing our stock. Here are a few of the bargains we are offering for this week only:

"RUBBEROID ROOFING PAPER"

	Reg. Price	Sale Price
1 Ply	$1.95	$1.50
2 Ply	$2.15	$1.75

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Rex Shingles	$6.85	$6.39
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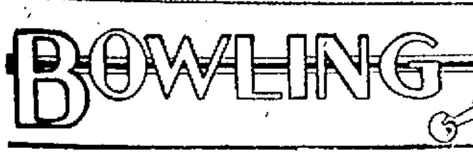


The result of the weekly rolling of the Bay State Cotton league, which took place last night, was as follows:

Spinning—Rock 243, Leighton 238, Graff 264, Lynch 260, Mallufort 316; totals 1341.

Cloth—Perreault 231, Baker 210, Bordeleau 234, Kennedy 243, Contois 295; totals 1315.

Carding—Allen 289, Baker 257, Trembley 266, Mason 244, Robarge 305; totals 1361.

Electricians—Prevost 238, Gustafson 245, Burkenhead 216, Boyle 252, Larkin 289; totals 1240.

Weaving—Lonergan 238, East 228, Marcotte 273, Rondeau 229, Robitaille 200; totals 1228.

Twisting—Hartman 245, Peterson 226, Rivinius 270, E. Derry 266, Roy 269; totals 1276.

Office—Gould 258, Jenkins 256, R. Benoit 209, Read 259, J. Wilmot 262; totals 1244.

Shop—Hurley 254, Gillick 266, W. Benoit 230, Stephens 235, Beauregard 274; totals 1259.

Lawrence Mfg. Co. League

Six teams of the Lawrence Mfg. Co. league rolled last night with the following result:

Shirt Fold—Vezina 295, Cram 254, Clay 276, Sewell 296, Nault 268; totals 1389.

Hose Knit—Senior 255, Swindells 259, Lemire 316, Taylor 292, Hague 302; totals 1444.

Mechanical—Cadorette 273, Beaudwin 252, Dion 259, Hunt 272; totals 1056.

Yarn Department—Trembley 335, Beaudry 324, Green 270, Traversy 259; totals 1168.

Dye House—Sherbourne 277, Spriggs 244, Dow 271, Levy 266, Pomfret 392; totals 1350.

Shirt Finish—Champagne 256, Nichols 235, Brown 252, Landry 264, Holt 278; totals 1316.

Textile League

The weekly bowling contest of the Textile league took place last night. The score:

Massachusetts A.A.—Hurst, 254; Boyle, 253; Carroll, 256; Gray, 300; Lebourdais, 252; totals, 1311.

Appleton Mills—Hindle, 280; Mosher, 296; Charette, 260; Forsaith, 283; Bray, 295; totals, 1413.

Columbia Textile—Prescott, 258; O'Brien, 289; Panton, 270; Sweeney, 305; McQuade, 325; totals, 1447.

Ipswich Hosiery—Gosselin, 243; Moore, 267; Bozek, 277; Lemko, 319; Fiorello, 286; totals, 1392.

Hamilton Mfg.—Van Zandt, 267; Mullin, 267; Mahan, 280; Paul, 266; Lyness, 271; totals, 1373.

Waterhead Mills—Collins, 264; Silveria, 250; Sheppard, 260; Ellis, 288; McElroy, 264; totals, 1326.

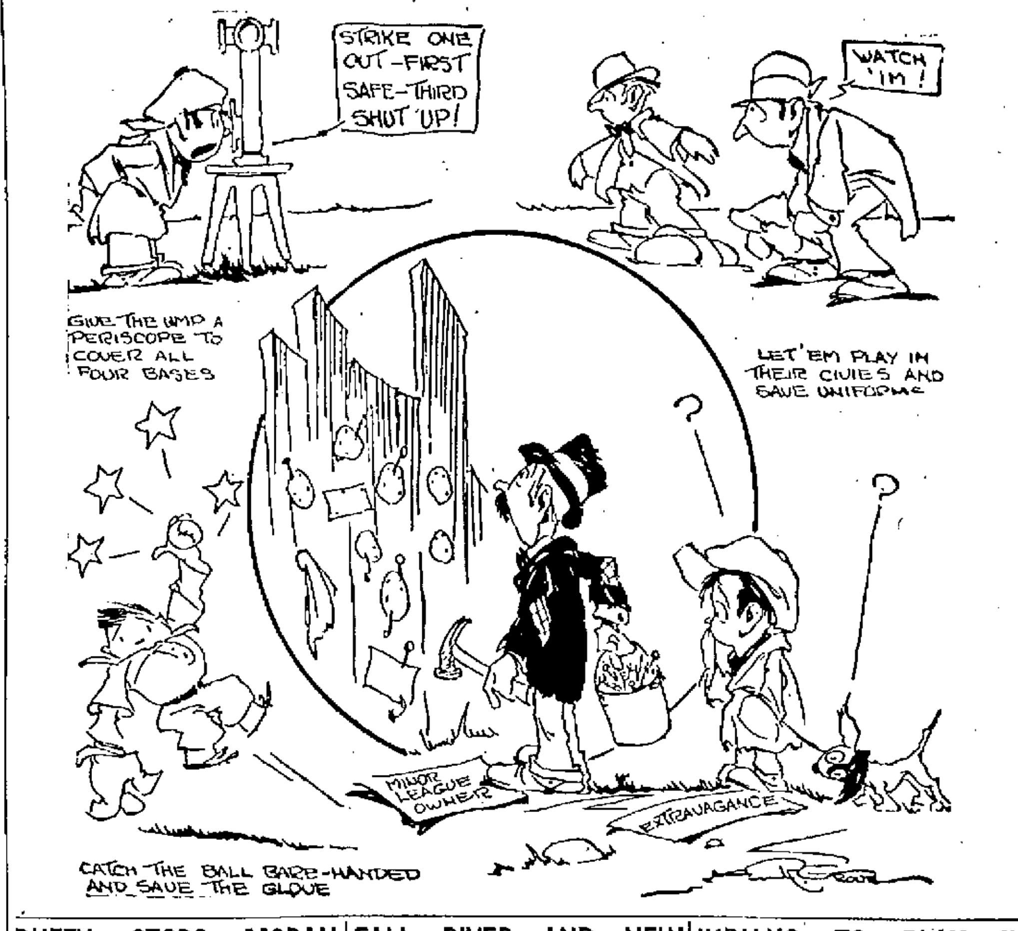
Lowell Military League

Battery B and Co. M of the Lowell Military league competed last night with the following result:

Battery B—Team Three—Hoolo, 230; Mitchell, 244; Faneuf, 257; Durgin, 292; Hicks, 279; totals, 1323.

Company M—Team Four—Grady, 235; Miaga, 259; Hume, 210; Angus, 249; Bukoskie, 251; totals, 1219.

Economy Tips for Minor League Magnates



Billy Evans Cites Greatest Gridiron Feats of 1921

BY BILLY EVANS

It is the sensational play in football that gives the spectators the real thrill.

A brilliant run, a long forward pass, a spectacular drop kick, are just a few of the gridiron headliners.

If these particular plays happen to decide the game, they carry the additional punch that goes with such a feat.

The season of 1921 was no exception to the rule. It produced a great many sensational plays. Open play, made possible by extravagant use of the forward pass, was responsible for a great many of the thrillers.

Here are a few of the most important:

Halfback Miller of the University of Pennsylvania, made the only victorious full field run from kickoff to touchdown. Playing against Gettysburg, on the first play of the game he received the kickoff on his own 15-yard line and ran the length of the field for a touchdown. The score, Pennsylvania 7, Gettysburg 0.

McKenna, sub quarterback on the University of Detroit team, made one of the most sensational runs in the west. Playing against Tulane, with the score 10 to 7 against Detroit, McKenna sprang into the limelight. With only a few minutes to play, he caught a punt on his 15-yard line, and ran 85 yards for a touchdown. Score, Detroit 14, Tulane 10.

The one-side kick is seldom resorted to in modern football, but it won an important game in the west. Drake was playing Missouri. Drake kicked off. Lewis of Missouri caught the ball. He ran a few steps and then sent a loft punt down the field. When he kicked, several Missouri players were behind him. One of them, Kershaw, beat the ball to the falling point, picked it up, while several Drake players were wondering what to do, ran the remaining distance for a touchdown, the only score of the game.

The longest drop kick to win a game in the east was made by Krewer of the University of Maryland against Rutgers. It was made from the 40-yard line.

Buell of Harvard ran a close second in the matter of a drop kick that won a game. Against Holy Cross he kicked from the 39-yard line for the only score of the game.

Aldrich of Yale won everlasting fame in the Princeton game by his two drop kicks. Those two kicks were Yale's margin of victory in 13 to 7 score.

Ralph Gilroy won a niche in the Princeton hall of fame by his run against Harvard. With the score standing 3 to 0 in favor of Harvard, and less than five minutes to play, Gilroy took a long forward pass from Snively and ran 60 yards for a touchdown. That run decided the game, although Princeton won finally, 10 to 3.

Perhaps the most sensational pass to win a big game, was made in the Illinois-Ohio state contest. With only a short time to play and neither team having scored, Illinois tried a forward pass. Peden hurled the ball to Walquist. It bounded from his arms, struck Capt. Myers of Ohio State on the chest and bounded back into Walquist's arms. He ran 25 yards for the only score of the game. It was the only touchdown made by Illinois during the season, and killed State's chances of winning the Western Conference title.

Unquestionably the most-talked-about run of the season, despite its short length, was made by McMillin of Centre. Having carried the ball to Harvard's 22-yard line, McMillin dropped back as if to pass, then took the ball through the left side of the Harvard line, after getting away from three tacklers. Then he cut diagonally across to the right side, eluded a number of Harvard players, and scored the touchdown that gave Centre a victory over Harvard, in perhaps the most-talked-about game of the year.

No individual feat stands out more prominently than that of Fullback Thomas of Chicago against Illinois. Entering the game in the third period with Illinois leading 6 to 0, Thomas gained 100 yards through his own efforts. He scored two touchdowns, the final one as a result of his carrying the ball 44 yards in consecutive plays, finally crossing the Illinois line.

TEN COLLEGE CAPTAINS PLAY IN "PRO" GAME

Money will make mere man do a lot of things.

While the colleges are raving about star players turning professionals in football, the stars keep on making the leap.

It is pretty hard for a fellow who has graduated, and is probably drawing down only a fair salary, to pass up offers from $100 to $500 to engage in a football game.

At one time he engaged in such a strenuous pastime, merely for the glory of his Alma Mater. Now he gets a chance to perform for real money.

In a recent game played at New York between Jim Thorpe's Tigers and Brickley's Giants, representing New York, 10 former college captains were either in the game or on the side lines ready to start.

Here is a list of the former college captains who were in uniform.

Jim Thorpe, who captained the Carlisle team while attending that school.

Charley Brickley was captain of the famous Harvard team of 1913, which for four years was never defeated by any team.

Billy Murray, a star quarterback, who captained the 1919 Harvard eleven.

Al Pierotti, center on Brickley's team, was captain of the Washington and Lee team in 1917.

Bulger Lowe, right tackle on Thorpe's team, was captain of the Fordham eleven in 1917.

Drawley, a Thorpe substitute, was leader of the 1915 Holy Cross team.

Al Maginnis, right guard on Brickley's team, who kicked 36 consecutive goals from touchdown in the season of 1917, was captain of the Lehigh team that year.

Meyers, an end on Brickley's team, was captain of the Wisconsin eleven in 1919.

Mike Purdy, a halfback on Brickley's team, was captain of the famous Brown team of 1913, which beat Harvard 21 to 0 and Yale 21 to 6.

Jim Laird, halfback on Brickley's team, was leader of the Colgate team in 1920.

NOTRE DAME WOULD HAVE PROVED REAL OPPONENT

It is to be regretted that Notre Dame didn't accept the invitation to play California at the Tournament of Roses.

Most of the critics have rated Notre Dame better than any team in the east. California has demonstrated its superiority on the coast.

A meeting between Notre Dame and California would have taken on the aspect of a world series in football. The winner of such a game would have been generally regarded as the best eleven in the country.

In Washington and Jefferson, California will find a worthy opponent but the opinion is general that Notre Dame would have been a more formidable foe.

Washington and Jefferson beat Pittsburgh, which in turn tied Penn State. While comparative scores do not mean a great deal, they still are interesting. Using the dope it is possible to make W. and J. a logical opponent.

Coach Smith has won success on the coast because of his modern style of play. His team is great on the forward pass, and always dangerous with the triple threat. Coach Rockne at Notre Dame has gone big in the middle west and east, with much the same tactics.

Had Notre Dame met California it would have been a clash between two elevens using the forward pass developed to the highest degree. It would have been interesting to observe the result of a clash between two teams using a highly developed style of play along the same lines.

The W. and J. open game is not to be sniffed at, and Neal's team should make things interesting for California. At least eastern colleges hope they do.—B. E.

WINTER LEAGUE BALL ON COAST WAS A FROST

When the Pacific Coast Winter league was first suggested a number of magnates protested against their star players joining the enterprise.

The league right off the reel enlisted Ty Cobb, George Sisler, Rogers Hornsby and Harry Heilman as managers of the four teams in the circuit.

At first it was decided to put the matter up to Judge Landis for a decision. Evidently the magnates decided not to stir up touble by preventing these stars from playing after the expiration of their contracts.

It was a very wise move on the part of the magnates. Such action would have stirred up a lot of trouble.

The promoters were forced to pay so much to the four stars, that the salary offered other players was no inducement. As a result only a very few major league players were enlisted.

Instead of having a lot of big league stars, the league was made up almost entirely of Coast league players. The fans didn't enthuse, as they had been looking at the same faces for seven months.

Now comes the report from the coast that the league will lose $45,000. Lack of patronage has been the cause. Prior to the season, the promoters took out insurance against rain. This has prevented a much heavier loss as thirteen games were cancelled because of rain.

RECEIVERS FOR TEX RICKARD

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Allen Loxow and John Ringling were named by Supreme Court Justice Guy late yesterday as "receivers" for Tex Rickard, the Madison Square Garden corporation and the Madison Square Sporting club, Inc. They deposited bond of $100,000.

Frank Armstrong, broker, who requested the receivership, declared [illegible] had sued Rickard for money [illegible] him in various sporting enterprises dating from the Johnson-Jeffries championship bout at Reno, Nev., July 4, 1910, to the promoting in 1920 of the Madison Square garden [illegible].

The corporations named [illegible] money, he said, and the receivers [illegible] was necessary for the protection of his interests, pending action in the [illegible].

MINOR LEAGUES FROWN ON DRAFT PLAN

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 9.—What the minors have as a measure of protection against the raids of the majors upon their players, they will hold. That was the freely expressed opinion among the delegates at the close of the 21st annual meeting of the National Association of Professional Baseball leagues here yesterday.

No modification of the "selected players rule" was possible at the minors convention here, because it is a part of their agreement with the majors that can be changed only at a major-minor conference and the next one is to be held in New York next week. If the matter was discussed in yesterday's executive session, the minors did not reveal it.

The only reaction from the advances of the majors and the appeal of Commissioner K. M. Landis to organized baseball to find a way "out of the woods" on the draft question, therefore, can be found in the known attitude of the personnel of the committee of minors named to go to the New York joint meeting.

Neither President T. J. Hickey of the American association nor President W. H. McCarthy of the Pacific coast league take kindly to the idea of lowering the bars again to the majors. President J. C. Toole of the International league is of the same mind, but there is said to be some difference of opinion among the members of that organization and the question will be threshed out at the league's annual meeting which takes place before the major-minor conference. Secretary Farrell, the fourth member of the committee, goes in on advisory capacity.

The members of the new board of arbitration were elected at the closing session yesterday and it was announced that players listed as "reserve jumpers" as distinct from "contract jumpers" may be reinstated on application to the secretary of the National association and paying $250. This applies to all players on the voluntary retired list playing with or against clubs containing ineligible players. They must return to the clubs from which they deserted.

The association made no changes in the salary limits, but increased the fines to be levied against clubs violating existing rules.

Louisville, Ky., won next year's convention.

The board of arbitration continued in session last night in an effort to clear the docket.

Joe Tinker, former Chicago Cub star will go to the South Atlantic league as manager of the Charleston team, it was stated last night.

If Abe Friedman defeats Pete Herman in their bout scheduled for next Tuesday night in Boston he will meet Johnny Buff.

DUFFY STOPS MORAN

New Yorker Completely Outclasses Local Lightweight—Walsh-Nelson Bout Feature

Johnny Moran, local lightweight, who a few years ago looked like a master workman in the ring, put up a sorry exhibition against "Fighting" Jimmy Duffy of New York here last night and his seconds tossed in the sponge in the sixth round, when they realized their man didn't have a chance.

The bout proved a big disappointment, for all who had seen Moran work before looked to see him put up a great battle against Duffy, but they looked in vain. Duffy literally "pushed holes" in the local man. The New Yorker did all in his power to make it a good fight, even pulling away to give the local man an opportunity to counter, but all to no purpose. Duffy, as usual proved a "bearcat" at in-fighting, and he subjected Moran to a severe body attack. Moran's famous left jab was conspicuously absent, and in all he landed but few blows on the sturdy New Yorker. Duffy would tear in, evade Moran's swings, and then pepper his opponent with short but stiff jolts to the body. Moran clinched and hung on, but Duffy shook him off repeatedly, and continued his incessant attack. After four rounds, with Duffy doing practically all the fighting, the New Yorker, yielding to the appeals of the fans "to finish it up," launched a whirlwind attack that sent Moran down twice, the last "flop" coming a few seconds before the bell. In the sixth but two blows were struck, one when Duffy hit Moran and the other when Moran hit the door. At this point the sponge appeared from Moran's corner.

While the main event was a "bloomer" all the other bouts were hummers, and Promoter Dodge was the most disappointed man in the hall at the failure of the feature number to come up to expectations.

The semi-final number between Benney Nelson of Lowell and Joe Walsh of South Boston went over the eight round journey at a bewildering clip, with Walsh getting the decision. It was one of the best semi-final events seen here in many a day, and much better than many a main bout. Walsh's southpaw style bothered Nelson in the early rounds particularly, but as the bout wore on, the local lad solved his opponent's attack and showed to better advantage. The entire eight rounds were crowded with action. Walsh proved the harder hitter, and landed the most blows, but Nelson shot in a number that made Walsh wince. At times Walsh had Nelson's head bobbing up like a stopper on water, but Benney took all he gave, and never retreated. Nelson's game and slashing battle in the face of defeat brought him many admirers. Vigorous applause at the conclusion of the bout indicated the fans' appreciation of the whirlwind work of the principals.

In the first bout Billy Purtell won over Benny Carroll in the second round of a peppery number. The second preliminary brought Willie Keeler of the B. & M. carshops and Young Rivet of the C.M.A.C. into the ring. They went at it hammer and tongs and kept whaling away at each other until the third when Keeler's seconds threw a towel into the ring admitting defeat. It was a wise move for the carshop battler was "all in." In the second round Rivet landed a number of terrific clouts that finally forced Keeler to the carpet where he was reposing when the gong sounded. His seconds worked fervently during the one minute rest period, but the time was too short and when activities were resumed in the third, Keeler was helpless. He took a few, but the men in his corner realizing he was outclassed, tossed up the towel.

John McDougall and Frank Murphy were the judges and Scotty Mages of Lawrence the referee. It was announced that Sailor Darden and Billy Carney will appear in the main event next week.

VISITING SAILORS TRIM LOCAL TEAM

St. Anne's basketball team was defeated last night, 30 to 25, by a team from the U. S. S. North Dakota in a game played in the parish house. Following the game there was dancing. The score:

ST. ANNE'S	U. S. S. NO. DAKOTA
Clark, rf	lg, Barbare
Kelly, lf	rg, Crandall
Collins, c	c, Ford
Griffith, rg	lf, Forbes
Duckan, lg	rf, Arnson

Score: U. S. S. Dakota 30, St. Anne's 25. Goals: Clark 4, Kelly 5, Collins 5, Forbes 6, Ford 5, Arnson 2, Barbare 2. Referee, Loughlan.

Wrestling seems to have taken quite a hold in the college ranks. Recently 21 men reported at Dartmouth, while 47 signified their intentions to try for positions on the Harvard team.

POLO
TONIGHT AT 8.20
New Bedford vs. Lowell

FALL RIVER AND NEW BEDFORD WIN GAMES

FALL RIVER, Dec. 9.—Lowell fell victims to Fall River here last night, 7 to 2. The locals went wild in the second frame and a sequence of four registers resulted, the Spindle City crew being unable to get better than a single tally. The Tigers made it two more in the final and Lowell was blanked in this period. The score:

LOWELL	FALL RIVER
Alexander, 1r	1r, K. Williams
Davies, 2r	2r, Bouchard
Quigley, c	c, Jean
Morrison, b	b, Muirhead
Blount, g	g, Pence

FIRST PERIOD

Caged by	Time
Jean, Fall River	3.21
Davies, Lowell	11.20
SECOND PERIOD	
Williams, Fall River	2.04
Muirhead, Fall River	2.14
Jean, Fall River	4.02
Jean, Fall River	3.09
Davies, Lowell	1.43
THIRD PERIOD	
Williams, Fall River	2.47
Jean, Fall River	5.25

Summary: Score—Fall River 7, Lowell 2. Rushes—Williams 5, Alexander 5, Davies 1. Stops—Pence 42, Blount 55. Referee—Devron.

New Bedford 8, Woonsocket 7

WOONSOCKET, Dec. 9.—New Bedford had the edge over Woonsocket here last night in the final analysis, 8 to 7. The Whalers sent a trio into the curtains in the third period and sewed up the verdict as the locals could only gather a lone register in this session. Duggan, as usual, was the star. The lineup:

NEW BEDFORD	WOONSOCKET
Duggan, 1r	1r, R. Williams
Wiley, 2r	2r, Harkins
Brown, c	c, Griffith
Gardner, b	b, Harrold
Welch, g	g, Conley

FIRST PERIOD

Caged by	Time
Griffith, Woonsocket	2.05
Williams, Woonsocket	1.14
Brown, New Bedford	9.09
Harkins, Woonsocket	.42
Duggan, New Bedford	.49
SECOND PERIOD	
Wiley, New Bedford	3.11
Duggan, New Bedford	1.12
Williams, Woonsocket	1.49
Williams, Woonsocket	.42
Foul in goal, Woonsocket	.19
Duggan, New Bedford	4.00
THIRD PERIOD	
Duggan, New Bedford	6.40
Duggan, New Bedford	5.20
Wiley, New Bedford	6.00
Harkins, Woonsocket	2.15

Summary: Score—New Bedford 8, Woonsocket 7. Rushes—Williams 7, Duggan 8. Stops—Conley 47, Welch 58. Foul—Duggan. Referee—Ford.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Salem	23	9	71.9
New Bedford	21	12	63.6
Worcester	18	16	52.9
Lowell	17	17	50.0
Providence	17	17	50.0
Fall River	13	17	43.3
Woonsocket	13	20	39.4

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Fall River 7, Lowell 2.
New Bedford 8, Woonsocket 7.

GAME TONIGHT

New Bedford at Lowell.

POLO NOTES

The New Bedford Whalers, now leading the league as a result of the transfer of the Salem club to Fall River, will play here tonight.

New Bedford and Lowell have been rivals for some time and whenever they clash fans can expect a battle royal.

A victory over New Bedford is what the Lowell speedsters look for tonight and they plan to cut loose at the sound of the first whistle and keep at it until the last second of play.

Bill Duggan, the aggressive and classy rush of the Whalers, is going along at a fast clip and his work is mainly responsible for the present position of his team at the head of the standing. Quigley and Morrison are out to stop the former soldier and if they succeed Lowell's chances for victory are very good.

Word was received from the league headquarters today that Salem will turn to the league on Monday with an entirely new team. The Jean-Williams outfit will remain in Fall River and the new Salem club will have Bob Hart and Barney Doherty in its lineup.

Doherty has been a unique character in polo and the game does not look the same without the veteran in harness. He has played on more teams than any man in the league and is known wherever the game has been played. In addition to being a great player, a close student of the game, he's one of the greatest showmen in the business. In the old days he was considerable of a rough player, but as he advanced in years, he became more docile, but seldom did he ever step away from an opponent. As a fancy skater, "Barney" has few superiors and his absence from the lineup will bring disappointment to many followers of the game.

Doherty was late in reporting this season, being assigned to Portland at the outset, but he never joined the Maine team. Finally when Portland decided to quit Doherty went to Lawrence. As a result Doherty did not play in Lowell this season. But those who saw him in action in Lawrence say that he has lost little of his ability.

Kansas has more than 50 registered women lawyers.

INDIANS TO PLAY IN EVERETT TOMORROW

The Indian footbal team will go to Everett tomorrow afternoon to play the strong Everett All Stars, formerly the Millstreams, and with fair weather, one of the greatest gridiron battles of the year is expected. The game will be played on the Everett high school field, which according to word received here today is in fine condition.

Despite several disappointments due to inclement weather the Indians have held their team intact and continued to engage in light workouts. All players are in good condition and they are hoping for favorable weather for the big contest.

The Indian team will be picked from the following players: Donnelan, Spence, McIntyre, Locke, Barton, Lemire, O'Halloran, Gleason, Haggerty, Whalen, White, Keenan, Wilhelm, Christo, Lancraft, Williams, Reed and Green. They will leave Lowell tomorrow noon by auto and the game is scheduled to start at 2 o'clock.

Sport Jabs

John McGraw is surely giving the winter league members plenty to talk about. The other day he made a trade whereby he got Groh from the Cincinnati Reds and now he announces he has agreed to give the San Francisco team of the Pacific Coast league $75,000 for Jimmy O'Connell, a first baseman and outfielder. It can't be that John's faith in George Kelley is fading.

McGraw pays out what would seem like a fortune to most of us and the general public does not seem to be ruffled over the news. A few years ago when Marty O'Toole brought something like $22,000 it was the talk of the entire sporting world. Since then no price seems too large to pay for a player. And the public becomes accustomed to this the same as everything else.

Red Sox fans will miss Oscar Vitt, who has gone to the Cincinnati Reds for the waiver price. The ex-Tiger will be placed at the hot corner to replace Heinie Groh, now with the Giants.

Charlie Brickley, former Harvard football star, has organized an all-star ice hockey team and intends to stack it up against the best in Boston and vicinity.

Don't be surprised if you see Outfielder Eddie Roush of the Reds in a Giant uniform next year. Acrobatic Eddie has been angling to get away from the Patmorans for some time and Fitchburg Pat, himself, has just about decided to clean house of players who do not want to stay in Redland.

Frank Navin, owner of the Detroit club, has paid $40,000 to the Portland club (not of the old New England league but the Pacific coast) for Pitchers Pillette and Johnson. The Buffalo meeting is turning into a regular baseball auction.

Jim Barnes, open golf champion, and Jock Hutchison, holder of the British open title, are soon to start a series of matches in Vancouver, B. C.

The Lafayette college soccer team is boasting of several players of different nationalities on its eleven. Wonder what they now think when the fact is known that players of 13 different nationalities are included in the soccer team of the International college located in Springfield, Mass.

New Hampshire State and University of Maine football teams have agreed upon a five years' contract which calls for the closing game of the season each year at Portland, Me., on Armistice day.

Boston papers deny the fact that Fred Stone is going to buy the Boston Red Sox.

WILLS BEATS BILL TATE

DENVER, Dec. 9.—Harry Wills of New Orleans, negro heavyweight boxer, won a decision over Bill Tate of Chicago in their 12-round match last night. Tate took heavy punishment in every round.

Calling 'Em Right

BY ROY GROVE

Golf ball manufacturers are holding a meeting for the revival of business. They evidently will decide on a livelier ball.

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They might co-operate with the various golf clubs for taller and thicker weeds.

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It's pretty soft for the Babe, he don't have to go to work 'till the 20th of May.

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Barnes and Hutchison are going on a 10,000-mile golf tour. Don't pick up any golf balls you see layin' around.

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Jake Schaefer said he would meet Hoppe on the first of April. April fool.

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The manager of the Syracuse baseball team challenged Goucher college and then found it was a woman's school. He had the right idea but the wrong team.

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We was jus' thinkin', why don't they give an umpire a cap with two peaks on it so's he won't have to turn it around?

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The basketballers paced upon the oak wood
So lightly that you scarcely heard a sound.
But there was one among the babies who could sure play to the ladies,
And the ladies played 'em right back to this hound.
Now out upon the sidelines sat a maiden,
She watched his every movement with a glance.
He took a wretched roving pass to show the dame that he had class,
For every basket now increased his chance.
The whistle blew—the game was now begun—
The first play was a pass right to this chap,
But due to concentration on the dame he thought of chasin',
He threw the ball right out into her lap.

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If golf is gonna be a thing to be talked about let's give it to the wife.

Today's Sport Angle

It is impossible to make money in any business where more money is being spent than is taken in.

That is the situation that has prevailed in the minor leagues for several years. If they are to continue in business it must be remedied.

Unfortunately for most minor leagues, there is usually one owner in every circuit who is in baseball simply as a sideline. It is a sport with him rather than a business.

Of course it is the desire of every owner to have a winner. The magnate in the game merely for sport's sake, doesn't think of the money involved. He simply wants a winner. Profits mean nothing to him.

In order to keep up with that type of magnate, a number of the others overplay themselves. The result is a general loss throughout the league, rather than a tidy profit, if the magnates observed the salary limitations.

Economize seems to be the watchword of the minor league magnates, and well it should be. There is no reason why most of the minor leagues should not be successful.

One of the suggestions offered to cut down expenses was the elimination of the double umpire system. I am positive that would be a grave mistake. The expense of the double umpire system is as nothing compared to the way money is spent in other directions.

Umpiring is no longer a one-man job. It is a difficult matter to satisfy with two men officiating. To go back to the single system would be a step backward by the minors.—B. E.

"Thank You!"

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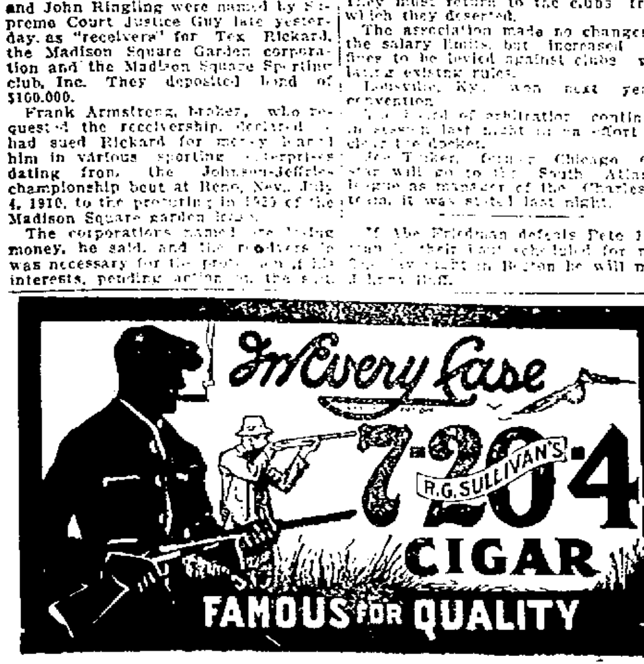

SAYS GIANT INFIELD WILL BE GREATEST EVER

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—John McGraw, manager for the New York Giants, expressed the belief today that Heinie Groh, his $100,000 infield acquisition, would make the team's infield the greatest he has ever managed.

"Groh will give the team a terrific punch," said the manager of the world's champions. "He is a hard, timey and smart hitter and he knows my system and will fit nicely into the machine.

"I will place him on third, of course, for Heinie has no superior anywhere as a third sacker. Frisch will be moved to second, where he belongs and would rather play. He'll be the same shining light, too. With Kelly on first and Bancroft at short—well, wait and see.

"Rawlings (one of the Giant heroes in the World Series), will be used as utility infielder, and we will have a feeling of security with Johnny ready for duty at a moment's notice."

McGraw said there were no other big deals pending now. He was asked if he would consider Eddie Roush as a man to fill George Burns' shoes.

"Cunningham, I think, will fit nicely at centerfield, but the Giants always are ready to buy a player that will help them to win pennants," he declared.

OPPOSES LAST MINUTE SUBSTITUTIONS

CAMBRIDGE, Dec. 9.—Criticising the custom of rushing football players onto the gridiron in the closing moments of play in the Harvard-Yale game as a means of qualifying them for the 'varsity letter, James F. Curtis of New York, a Harvard graduate and former assistant secretary of the treasury, recommends some other method of awarding the 'varsity letter at Harvard. In a letter to Dean LeBaron R. Briggs, chairman of the Harvard athletic committee, Mr. Curtis pointed out that 24 Crimson players were sent in against Yale and said he and other graduates considered the practice of last minute substitutions detrimental to the best interests of the game.

SIX TEAMS TIED IN BICYCLE RACE

NEW YORK, Dec. 9—Six teams were tied for leadership in the six day bicycle race at 8 a. m., today, the 104th hour.

There was no change in the relative positions of the seven other remaining teams after a night of fast riding. The leaders had covered 1808 miles and four laps. The record for the hour is 2301 miles and 5 laps, made seven years ago by Fogler and Hill.

Charlie Paddock, the Olympic and national sprint champion, has decided to reconsider his decision to retire from the track and will represent the University of California on the cinders another season. Paddock could have obtained his degree in February but decided the track team needed him and accordingly he has decided to remain until spring.

Berton Braley's Daily Poem

CHAMPS

The man of today is no poor mollycoddle
But plainly a Regular Guy;
He's there with the muscles, he's there with the noddle,
For never in ages gone by
Were champions found like the champs of the present.
They outclass the athletes of yore;
They run faster,
Jump higher,
Throw farther,
Bat harder
Than any one ever before!

In all of sport's history, busy and checkered,
There never has been such a bunch
Of swimmers and runners who set each new record,
Of fighters with skill—and a punch.
We are not decadent, we're stronger and bigger
And why should we keep the fact hid?
We move faster,
Swim better,
Fly higher,
Hit harder
Than ever our ancestors did!

The armor once worn by the knights of romances
We couldn't get into at all,
Because it is plain to our casual glances
It's tailored decidedly small;
Don't spill us this bunk about modern effeteness,
We've got the old heroes outclassed;
In shooting, in wrestling, in strength and in fleetness
The old boys are lashed to the mast;
We work better,
Play better,
Love better,
Live better
Than ever they did in the past!

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Haverhill turned out in force to honor its victorious St. James' high football team which recently arrived from Philadelphia with a sweet victory. Haverhill high must have been a bit envious of the reception.

George Owen, Harvard football star, is an all-round athlete. He is captain of the hockey team, and finds he is the only member of last year's team in college. With hockey over he goes right into baseball.

FOR NEW RULES IN FOOTBALL

The forward pass in football is certain to receive much consideration from the rule makers, when they meet to discuss the new angles presented by the 1921 season.

Harvard has already come to the front with a suggestion that the forward pass be eliminated during the final five minutes of play.

In all probability the defeat suffered by Harvard from Princeton is the base of their contention.

It will be remembered that a long forward pass, Snively to Gilroy, followed by a 50-yard run by the latter player, produced the touchdown that caused a Crimson defeat.

Personally we don't like the Harvard idea. If the foward pass is permissible during the first three periods, there is no good reason why it should not continue in good form throughout the final quarter.

Of course it is in the last few minutes of play that a beaten team takes long chances with the pass. If a touchdown means a chance to win or tie the game, the losing team very logically uses nothing but forward passes in a hope one of them might be successful.

There is always a chance that such a pass will be intercepted. However, that is the only chance the losing team is taking.

Unquestionably, the forward pass is being overplayed. However, the public likes the play, and for that reason it has become an integral part of the game.

The thing to do is to place some limitations on the pass, that will protect the defending team to a greater extent than merely the loss of a down when the pass is completed.

Like the squeeze play in baseball, the forward pass is a great play if it goes over and a sucker play when it fails. Unquestionably the checks and balances in football have been upset by the forward pass.

The aerial game has unbalanced both attack and defense. It has given an exaggerated value to one play. It has caused coaches to neglect important features of the game in an effort to highly develop a passing game.

It is pretty tough for a team to gain, say 60 yards on plays through the line and runs around the end, and then have the opposition make up all that hard-earned ground by one 60-yard pass.

Limit the distance the ball can be passed, is one way to lessen the value of the play.

Another is to make the penalty more severe for the incompleted pass.

The suggestion that after the first down, the ball shall be put in play from the spot where the thrower of the incompleted pass stood is another check.—B. E.

LADIES VERY IMPORTANT
NEW YORK WHOLESALERS' MILLINERY SALE
Broadway WHOLESALE MILLINERY CO.

Record Contract for "Bo" McMillin

DALLAS, Tex., Dec. 9.—What is believed to be the highest priced contract ever offered an athletic coach, is now on the way to "Bo" McMillin, Centre college football star at Danville, Ky., from the athletic council of the University of Dallas. The contract offers $35,000 for five years' service as head coach of the university. In tendering the contract the university authorities are said to have met the terms held out by McMillin in his recent conference with them here. The original proposition was a $7000 contract for one year of coaching.

CENTRE TO PLAY NOTRE DAME DEC. 26

DANVILLE, Ky., Dec. 9—Announcement that the Centre college colonels will meet the Notre Dame eleven at San Diego, Cal., Dec. 26, was enthusiastically received here today by members of the team and students. The 22 letter men, coaches Moran, Meyers and Thornhill, and representatives of the faculty will leave here December 16.

Centre college's schedule for the 1922 season calls for nine and possibly 10 games, including Harvard. All the teams were defeated by the Colonels during the 1921 season.

Northwestern university may be played here on Thanksgiving.

COLLEGE CHATTER

Centre college is a big attraction in football. Already Charley Moran's eleven has been booked for six games away from home next year.

Harvard seems to have made an excellent choice in Buell, for captain of next year's eleven. Buell is one of the brainiest quarterbacks of the year, an ideal field general.

Here is the big joke of the year in college circles. Graduate Manager Thurston of Syracuse university sent a letter to Goucher college in Baltimore requesting a baseball date. Then he learned that Goucher is exclusively a woman's college.

Lafayette college seems to have satisfied the press of the east, that the players under suspicion on the Lafayette eleven are in perfectly good standing. Professionalism was the charge.

One would imagine that it would be possible to throw a baseball twice as far as a football, yet such is not the case. The baseball record held by Sheldon Lejeune is 426 feet 9½ inches. Mohardt of Notre Dame, Workman of Ohio state, Muller of California and Snively of Princeton have made passes in practice from 60 to 80 yards.

Backfield men seem to be the choice for the captaincy of most of the football elevens for 1922.

A number of Princeton football stars shine in other sports. Halfbacks Garrity and Gilroy are crack hockey players. End Stimson is captain of the swimming team. Wittmer, star center, is a big man in basketball. Quarterback Lourie is a track star.

LOWELL BOYS TRIMMED IN LAWRENCE

The first in a series of match games between the C.M.A.C. of this city and Cercle St. Anne of Lawrence took place last evening in the quarters of the down-river city organization and the Lowell boys were beaten, the total score being 3225 against 3036. The contest included cribbage, bid whist, checkers, billiards, pool and bowling.

The Lowell boys won at whist, checkers, billiards and pool, but were defeated at cribbage and bowling.

The Lowell players left their quarters in Pawtucket street at 7 o'clock last evening and journeyed over the road to the down-river city in automobiles. Upon reaching the hall of Cercle St. Anne they were given a royal reception. First of all they were shown through the quarters of the organization and then were served hot coffee. Later the various teams got down to business and the games were started. There were several women present and they enjoyed their evening thoroughly while watching the progress of the various games.

The result of the various contests was as follows: Cribbage—C.M.A.C., 1093; St. Anne, 1194. Bid whist—C.M.A.C., 258; St. Anne, 227. Checkers—C.M.A.C., 50; St. Anne, 10. Billiard—C.M.A.C., 100; St. Anne, 36. Pool—C.M.A.C., 199; St. Anne, 194. Bowling—C.M.A.C., 1326; St. Anne, 1501.

The Lowell players were as follows: Cribbage—Henri Barry and Lazare Boule; whist, Leo Beaulieu, Zenon Chouinard, Joseph Arbour, Ernest Simard, Eucharisto Bellefeuille, William Dumais, Joseph A. Gagnon and Emile Gagnon; checkers, Adelard Lequin and Charles Forget; billiard, Fred Descheneaux; pool, Arthur Mailloux and Alphonse Charette; bowling, Ernest Trudeau, Pierre Germain, Gustave Fortier, Arthur Bernier and Joseph Lebrun.

At the close of the contest the Lowell visitors were entertained at luncheon and the homeward trip was started at a seasonable hour. The next match will be held at the C.M.A.C. quarters in this city, the date to be announced later.

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New England said its reports indicated that worsted spindles had returned to a 92.2 per cent basis; woolen spindles were 79.1 per cent operating, and cotton textiles on an 80 per cent basis. This summary also mentioned a marked improvement in building. Shoe industries were said to be comparatively quiet, due to the normal slump in business at this season. Lumber and its auxiliary products, including paper and pulp, were declared to be showing improvement.

Conditions in the six states were described in substance as follows:

Maine: Textiles, particularly wool, showing substantial improvement. Lumber products quiet, but improved. Shoe industries doing fair business. Building slow due to winter conditions. Employment in metal and marine trades slack.

New Hampshire: Some industries crippled by lack of water power. Textiles, particularly woolens, good. Pulp and paper showing improvement despite strikes. Shoes seasonably quiet. Metal trades slow but showing promise. Optimism prevails.

Vermont: Textiles making excellent showing. Metal trades and rough and finished stone, very quiet. Lumber and products improving. Food products showing brighter prospects. General tone good.

Mass chusetts: Shoes and allied industries very quiet; the seasonal calm increased by strikes. Textiles reasonably good, particularly woolens. Metals quiet; rubber and paper improving. Building easing off for the winter.

Rhode Island: Woolens active as are some specials in other textiles. Generally metal industries quiet; building quiet except for Providence.

Connecticut: Unemployment in metals and metal novelties heavy but with good prospects for early improvement. Textiles good, especially woolens and lighter lines in other fabrics. Auto accessories suffering slump.

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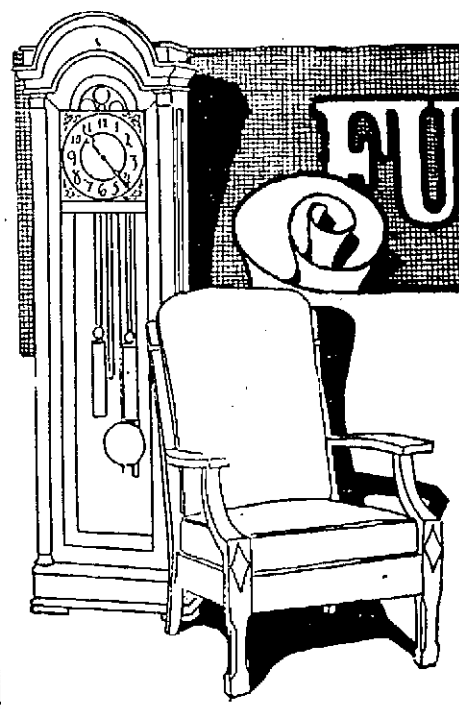

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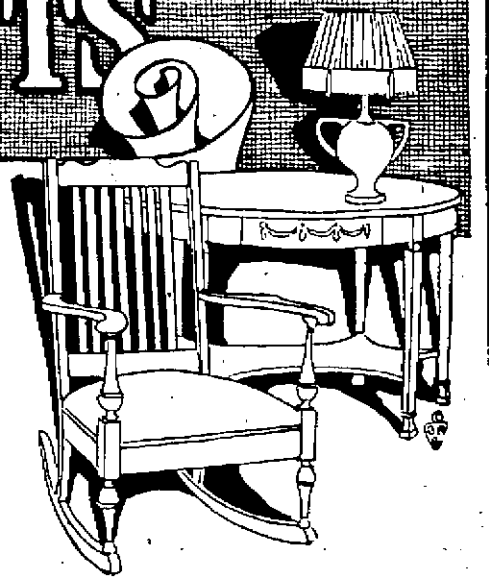

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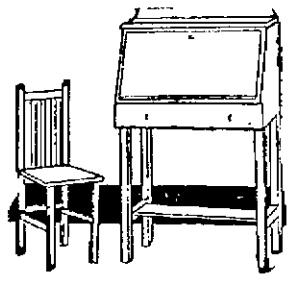
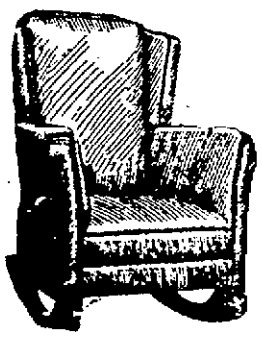


Children's Desks—Children's desk and chair combinations, in oak finish, flat and roll top styles, $3.50 to $25.00



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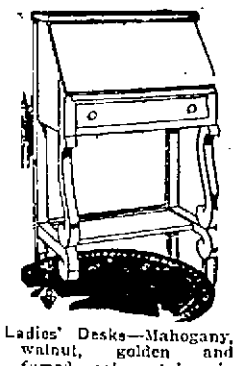

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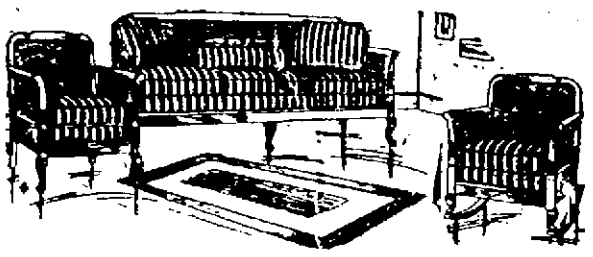

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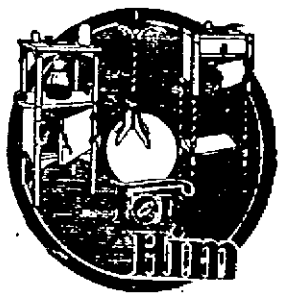

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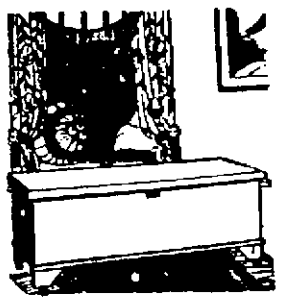

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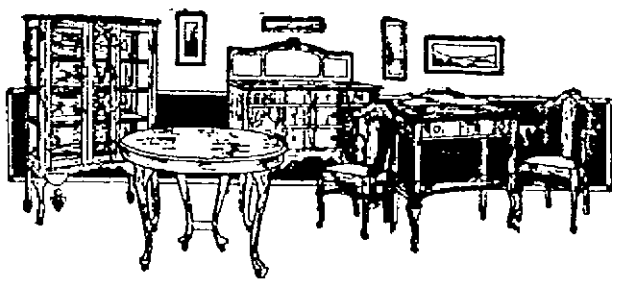

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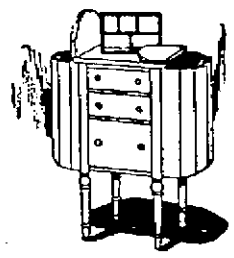

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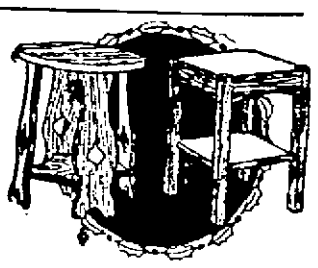

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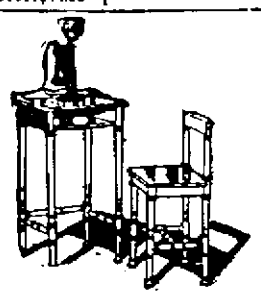

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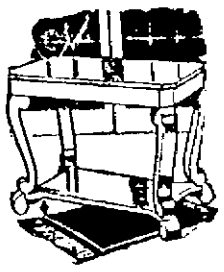

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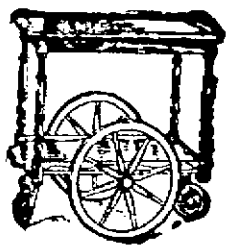

THE P. O. DEPARTMENT

Postmaster General Hays Submits Report to President Harding

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—Pointing to continuing deficits in his department, Postmaster General Hays, in his first annual report to the president, made public today, declares that "if the present gauge of expenditures shall continue there should be such a readjustment of postage rates as will, together with the effects of increasing volume of business, produce sufficient revenue approximately to meet it."

Mr. Hays makes no specific recommendations as to the suggested adjustments, and declares emphatically that "if it were a question between the best practical service on the one hand, and a poorer service with revenue meeting cost, on the other hand, decision should be resolved in favor of rendering the service." He adds that the department should not be conducted for a profit, but that it need not ultimately be run at a loss.

Revenues of the postal service for the fiscal year ended last June, Mr. Hays says, totalled $463,491,274, an increase of $26,341,062 over the receipts of the preceding fiscal year. Balanced against this were audited expenditures of $620,993,673 with the total audited deficiency at $157,517,688.

The material increase in the deficiency over that for 1920, Mr. Hays states, is due to large increases of expenditures in two principal items without any corresponding increase in the revenues. The two principal items are $76,130,301 for increased compensation to railroads on the basis of an order of the interstate commerce commission, retroactive to Nov. 1, 1916, and $41,855,000 for added compensation allowed postal employes by congress.

Approving this added compensation, the postmaster general tells the president "the salaries provided by law for those in the department are too low to compensate those who continue in the service, or to attract and hold others of the ability required in the conduct of such an institution." Pointing to the inconsistencies in the salaries of employes in the department proper and those who serve in the field, Mr. Hays says they "emphasize the importance and necessity of immediate legislation to readjust the departmental salaries throughout."

The postmaster general also recommends legislation providing for the changing of the name of the department to the department of communications, and to authorize him to:

Collect a fee where directory service is given in postoffices to mail insufficiently or improperly addressed.

Fix a charge for a return receipt for registered articles.

To restrict, within his discretion, the application of the special delivery service to first class mail matter.

To dispense with the surety bonds now required of officers and employes accountable for funds or property and to substitute therefor a guaranty fund established and maintained by assessments against such officers and employes.

To provide for the payment by the advertisers of postage on replies to advertising matter.

Mr. Hays also recommends service pensions for those who have been in the service more than 30 years and that Sundays and holidays be excluded from sick leave granted employes of the department and service.

Discussing briefly the detailing of marines to guard valuable mails in transit against "hold up" men, the postmaster general informs the president that there is being recruited from the department itself to take the place of the marines an armed guard as a permanent branch of the postal service.

"The United States mail must be protected down to the last postal card regardless of cost or personal sacrifice," Mr. Hays says. "It must be true that the mails may be late, but never lost."

At the end of the fiscal year, Mr. Hays reports there was a total of 52,188 postoffices, an increase of 2522. First class offices numbered 799, an increase of 99; second class numbered 2779, an increase of 164; third class 10,480, an increase of 2259 and fourth class offices totalled 38,110. The average salaries of clerks was increased from $1536 to $1717 and of carriers from $1531 to $1697.

The postmaster general expresses a firm conviction in the duty of honestly applying the merit system, declaring that this should govern the appointment of postmasters.

"I am sure it is steadily growing in the mind of the public," he says, "that if we are to have the most efficient postal service we must keep it as far as possible out of politics."

The rural mail service was extended during the year to more than 307 new routes, of which 103 were established by the new administration, the report says. The total number of routes was 43,752, covering 1,163,596 miles and requiring annual travel of carriers of 352,532,888 miles. The cost of the service was $55,162,000.

Mails were carried over 10,664 star routes not traversed by rural carriers, the report continues, and at a cost of $211,677 the mails were carried over 10,053 miles of routes in Alaska.

"Special arrangements have been made for improving the service in Alaska," the report adds, "greatly expediting the delivery of mails and meeting the special needs of the developing territory."

Mr. Hays calls attention that the cost of carrying and handling mails for the executive departments last year was $6,000,000 for which the department received nothing and he informs the president that it is the purpose to keep account of this in the future and credit the department in the statements of value of service rendered. The revenue which would have been derived at the regular postage rates from the free matter handled last year would have been $13,191,166, the report asserts.

Deposits in the postal savings banks during the year fell off $4,556,417, the report shows, the total on deposit on last June being $152,259,903 as against $157,276,322 on June 30, 1920. The reduction of net deposits from the maximum amount held in March, 1919, was $24,438,021 and Mr. Hays says he has taken active steps to remedy defects in the system and is conducting a vigorous campaign to popularize the system. He asserts that the interest rates are not high enough and that the depositor had been treated unfairly in the nonpayment of interest unless the deposit was left a full year.

Calling attention to economies effected in the department, Mr. Hays says $6,276,194 was saved through a readjustment of contracts with the furnishers of stamped envelopes and newspaper wrappers. He also informs the president that important improvements in plans for purchasing have been made, resulting in large savings.

Other portions of Mr. Hay's report deal with his efforts to humanize the postal service and to enlist the people's interest in its largest usefulness and greatest efficiency.

THE KEY TO THE WHOLE SITUATION

OLD U. S. S. DOLPHIN OUT OF COMMISSION

BOSTON, Dec. 9.—The U.S.S. Dolphin, one of the earliest steel ships of the navy, built by John Roach during the administration of President Chester A. Arthur, nearly 10 years ago, went out of commission yesterday at Charlestown navy yard, after a service of 38 years.

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DOUBLE CELEBRATION

Parish Supper and Anniversary Observance at First Universalist Church

The annual parish supper of the First Universalist church last evening was a double celebration, the members commemorating the 26th anniversary of Rev. Dr. Caleb E. Fisher's pastorate and assuring him of their warm support in the New Year to come. The supper was provided by the women of the parish, and was a bountiful one with many nice things in the cookery line that proved appetizing

REV. CALEB E. FISHER, D.D.

and seasonable. Mrs. W. C. Hinckley had charge of the supper arrangements assisted by a corps of willing workers.

The Saco-Lowell orchestra furnished music during the evening, the church quartet sang, and there were several solo numbers and duets by Mrs. F. L. Roberts and Michael Brennan and Miss Etta Thompson and Harry Needham. Dr. William M. Jones was toastmaster.

Rev. W. H. Morrison of Nashua, widely known in Universalist circles, was greeted by many old friends. He spoke of the need of more churches and said he hoped all other religious societies would follow the example of the Lowell church celebrating last night, and "keep ministers for long pastorates."

"When Dr. Fisher has been here for 50 years and needs a younger man to run errands, call on me," said the Nashua clergyman.

Rev. Dr. Edward Babcock of the First Baptist church said he noted the fact that Dr. Fisher is not like a minister of another denomination, who changes his pastorate frequently. He said he had heard a good story of a man who met a friend always on the move, and the latter greeted him with the query:

"You like my tracks? Well, I make some more."

Rev. Appleton Grannis, rector of St. Anne's, congratulated both Dr. Fisher and the members of the church. He said more young men ought to enter the ministry, particularly when they are sure of the right kind of support.

Rev. Percy E. Thomas of the First Congregational church, told the members that 26 years ago he was working in overalls in a factory. He reviewed many important events that have occurred since Dr. Fisher first came to Lowell. Great things have taken place, he said, and yet he believes that Dr. Fisher, "in his quiet way," has succeeded in performing work in Lowell that will tell in the years to come.

Other speakers during the evening were Rev. J. L. Cairns of St. Paul's M.E. church, who spoke of the friendly and kindly attitude of Dr. Fisher toward him when he came a stranger to the city. Rev. N. W. Matthews said he was "always glad to come to the First Universalist church and get inspiration and then go back and attend to his fire insurance business up in Gorham street. Referring to the Fisher pastorate, he said:

"Ministers may come and ministers may go, but Fisher and Mattews go on forever."

Dr. Fisher spoke briefly, just before the close of the evening's entertainment, thanking his friends for their many words and acts of kindness.

U. S. SENATOR WALSH ON IRISH TREATY

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 6—Senator David I Walsh is much gratified over the settlement, if such it be, of the Irish question. Mr. Walsh has been an ardent sympathizer with the Irish and has used his voice and vote in the senate for the benefit of the land of his ancestors whenever occasion permitted. Today he said to The Sun correspondent, in commenting on the news that just came in by cable: "While I have not heard the exact terms of the settlement, I am sure the friends of the Irish cause will receive the news with great joy. While all American sympathizers desire fullest independence for Ireland, yet they have generally taken the attitude that the people of Ireland, who had to bear the burdens, were the best judges of what could be demanded and achieved."

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The Sum of $30,800 Will be Paid for Washington Park

Recent Storm Made Big Hole in Park Department's Appropriation

The city of Lowell, through its board of park commissioners, last night seized Washington park by right of eminent domain and will turn it into a city playground. The vote, presented by City Solicitor William D. Regan, was accepted unanimously on the original motion made by Secretary Alexander E. Rountree. The sum of $30,800 for acquiring the land and buildings will be paid to Mary L. Saunders, Annie G. Saunders and Edith St. Loe Saunders and will be charged to the appropriation for acquiring land with buildings thereon known as the Washington park for playgrounds.

The report of Superintendent John W. Kernan shows that the recent storm has practically wiped out the money allotted to the commission and it was necessary to vote to ask the city to appropriate at least $2000 to carry on the work for the remaining year. In addition to this request the point was brought out that the commission will ask for a much greater sum in the near future to make a general cleanup of the tree situation in the city.

At one stage of the meeting it looked as if the city would be without its annual Christmas tree this year when Secretary Rountree made strenuous objections on the grounds that the storm has cost the city enough money and that an expenditure for a thing of this kind seemed foolish. Mr. Rountree was in the minority, however, for all other members of the board were strong for the tree and upon the recommendation of Supt. Kernan voted the sum of $600 this year. Only $295 was spent last year for the tree, but Supt. Kernan pointed out how the tree would cost more this year.

Mr. Rountree said he did not know of any other city in the state that spent money for a Christmas tree but Supt. Kernan presented a list of figures showing that Hartford, Conn.; Springfield, Worcester, New Bedford, and Fall River all had trees and each spent a great deal more money than was asked for here.

Storm Cost $3000

The recent storm cost the park department about $3000. Up to last Saturday the cost was $1500 while Supt. Kernan said the cost would reach the $2700 mark by tomorrow night.

The cost is independent of tree pruning which is necessary to put the trees in condition again. This work must be done at once and by experts or else the trees of the city will be ruined. Supt. Kernan explained it would be necessary to put on 10 or 12 expert crews to take care of the work. Climbers are the most essential men needed and Supt. Kernan said that in tests he put his 40 men through during the past two weeks, only three of them proved to be fitted for the work.

The work of attacking this tree problem was strongly urged by Supt. Kernan. The pruning must be done now and must be completed before sap time or else the trees would bleed to death. This will cost about $3000 additional to the sum now requested.

At the same time the pruning and general work is done it is planned to take out a number of trees that are too thick on some streets.

It is estimated it will take at least 10 days more before the cleanup work will be finished. There are 40 men and six double teams constantly at work picking up the debris and cutting off broken and injured branches. No effort is being made to complete and dress each separate tree, for if this were attempted the men would not make much headway. This work will have to be gone over in many places and the limbs cut back to the tree.

Health Teams to be Out

On their regular rounds of picking up garbage the board of health teams have refused to take debris, but Mayor Thompson will have the regular teams of the department at work all day tomorrow and Sunday picking up the wreckage. Another obstacle comes through the fact that private property owners have cut off parts of their own trees and tossed them into the highway a day or two after the city teams have made collections. This means that most of the city will have to be gone over again.

About 20 views of damage caused by the storm were presented to the commission and examined minutely, showing just what condition the trees were in. Little work has been attempted yet on either the North or South commons.

A petition was granted to Severin Beaudry of Lakeview avenue for the removal of two trees which blocked a street he is about to construct. The tree committee will inspect the tree which Athanase Couture wishes to have removed at 68 Branch street. Leave to withdraw a petition was given to J. L. Holman and J. B. Emery for the removal of a tree at 1625 Middlesex street.

The report of Supt. Kernan shows a balance of about $3238 to go for the rest of the year. This does not include special payrolls and a few other incidentals which will have to be included in the bill. During the month of November $3751 was expended for labor, and $5710 for bills. The payroll for Dec. 3 amounted to $800 while a special pay roll on Dec. 1 amounted to $450.

Of a balance of some $8000 left it will be necessary to pay out $3638 for crushed stone already delivered to the city but not included in the November bill because one or two vouchers for single wagon load could not be checked up. Another $1200 will be due for putting in a wall and iron fence on Varnum ave. This leaves the department only enough to carry on essential work.

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LIQUOR RAIDS IN KENTUCKY

Whiskey Bandits Handcuff Guards and Raid Big Distillery

Dry Agents Just Complete One of the Most Exlensive Raids on Record

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 9.—Prohibition agents in Kentucky have just completed one of the most extensive raids in the history of prohibition enforcement in the state.

Whiskey bandits likewise have just completed one of the most successful distillery raids ever made in Kentucky.

Instead of a breathing spell today, after a busy week in three Kentucky counties, federal agents are off in search for the upward score of whiskey bandits who last night got away with 1944 cases of bottled in bond, and 10 barrels of whiskey from the T. B. Rippey distillery at Tyronne, Ky.

Early in the week 30 prohibition agents invaded Nelson, Washn., and Marion counties. When the agents came out late yesterday, the raids had yielded seven prisoners, 10 stills, 38 foundations were broken up and 30,000 gallons of beer and 62 gallons of moonshine destroyed. Warrants for a number of other alleged law violators have been issued. Several raids in Louisville have netted small quantities of wet goods.

The bandits, in raiding the Rippey distillery, captured four guards and three passers-by and after handcuffing them, put them in a vault in the distillery office while they loaded the whiskey into motor trucks and automobiles and drove off.

Irish Bonds Are "Smiling"

Continued

hundred local men and women all told, and the amount reaching a sum approximating $73,000, are taking much interest in the reports from Washington, made by Stephen O'Mara, fiscal agent and representative of the Irish minister of finance. O'Mara announces that every bond purchased in behalf of the Irish effort for freedom constituted a moral obligation and would be redeemed at its face value after the Irish Free State was established.

That also includes the old Fenian Brotherhood bonds, issued in 1867 in connection with the Irish rebellion of that year, made famous by the story of the Manchester martyrs. There are still hundreds of these in the United States, handed down from preceding generations to their possessors, and cherished in family albums and frames for their sentimental values, but heretofore regarded as worthless from a financial standpoint.

Mr. O'Mara, in a statement issued late yesterday, declared that all of the new Irish bonds would be worth their face value "immediately after the crown forces departed from Ireland." He added:

"We are morally bound by these obligations and we will fulfill them."

He says the total of Irish Republic bonds floated in this country was slightly more than $5,500,000. The first campaign, which included Lowell and vicinity, raised $5,300,000. The second drive, now on in Illinois, brought only $350,000. About $30,000 has been raised during the past few weeks in New York city.

O'Mara says that interest at the rate of 5 per cent. would become payable on all outstanding bonds within six months after the creation of the Irish free state. He strongly urged all holders to retain the bonds.

Buyers of some of the bonds in Lowell purchased them more for sentimental reason than the hope of ever getting their money back. Indeed, at city hall today, an official who bought a good-sized bond told a Sun man that he would make no great effort to redeem the bond if Ireland needed the money. He told a good story that he said answered the query as to what he was preparing to do with his bond.

A friend dropped a $20 gold piece into a church contribution box by mistake, thinking it was 50 cents. He asked a chum what he should do, and the latetr advised him to go to the pastor's house and ask for it. As he mounted the steps, his courage left him. He needed the money, but he knew that someone else needed it just as badly as he did. The top step of the pastor's house was as far fas he could go. Turningk about and starting downward, he remarked:

"I don't need the money now anyhow."

The bond drive was considered fairly successful in this city, Lowell comparing well with other industrial cities in New England when the canvass was made. Most holders of the bonds had no expectation that they would be in any way profitable. A good many said they felt that they were aiding the cause of Ireland, and had no thought of the speculative side at all. The news that the bonds may now be redeemed has caused no excitement among local bondholders, who appear to be waiting for Ireland to settle its affairs in a manner satisfactory to herself and her friends all over the world, rather than think of bond profits thus early in Ireland's jaunt on the path of freedom.

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FLORIDA CHAMP

The happy girl who is drying her hair is the new "Annette Kellerman" of Florida—Pauline Buchner. She learned to dive in Chicago and then moved to St. Petersburg where she promptly won the state diving contest.

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Jailed for Attempt to Form Congress

ALLAHABAD, Dec. 8.—The trial of a number of prominent nationalist leaders arrested yesterday in connection with an attempt to form a congress of the provincial volunteer corps which the government had declared illegal resulted today in a sentence of six months' imprisonment upon Pundit Motilal Nehru, the alleged ringleader. He was also fined 500 rupees. Chairman of the Municipal Board Tandon was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment, with a fine of 250 rupees, and six months' imprisonment, with a fine of 100 rupees, was imposed upon several others.

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7.01	8.00	9.00	9.39
7.05	7.56	9.3[illegible]	10.09
7.56	5.37	12.39	1.11
9.01	9.42	b1.05	2.03
10.06	11.03	2.15	3.15
11.17	12.0[illegible]	2.50	3.41
12.07	1.01	4.00	4.42
1.47	2.35	4.05	5.24
2.45	3.43	5.00	5.42
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6.33	7.36	10.45	8.31
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10.20	11.17	5.31	6.24
2.52	3.35	7.15	8.16
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KEYS MADE—Locks repaired, umbrellas repaired, tools sharpened. W. W. Payne, 52 Thorndike st., opp. depot.

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Piano Tuned $1.00
Work guaranteed. Prof. Hall, expert tuner and repairer, 25 years' experience, Chickering, Steinway, 269 Appleton st. Tel. 1164-M. Go anywhere. Examination free. Pianos bought.

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DRESSMAKING—Remodeling of all kinds done. Switches made of your combings. Send postal to M. Herbert, 823 Moody st.

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CLOTHING CLEANED, dyed and repaired. Prices reasonable and Satisfactory service guaranteed. Merrimack Steam Dye house, 477 Merrimack st. Wm. W. Hazard, Mgr.

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SKIN, BLOOD AND NERVOUS DISEASES
RHEUMATISM, neuralgia, neuritis, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatoid, arthritis, gout, catarrh, epilepsy.
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HELP WANTED—FEMALE 50

CHAMBERMAID wanted. Inquire 74 Thorndike st.

GIRL ABOUT 16 wanted to travel one year to assist as nurse to baby. Poor girl only. Apply 264 Appleton st. Mrs. Livingood.

SALESMEN AND AGENTS 53

WE WANT FIVE MEN with some selling ability, experience not necessary; we train and equip you. Call at room 220 Bradley block, 147 and 175 Central st.

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MOVING PICTURES
Short ride from Lowell. Moving picture theatre for sale, one or two nights a week. A good chance to learn the business on a small investment. Any man or woman can handle this proposition, which will not interfere with any other business. This is well worth looking into. Write N-72, this office.

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For Sale—Large Pond, buildings, blacksmith shop and complete equipment; best chance on the South Shore. Write W. F. Bates, Box 58, North Scituate, Mass.

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STANTON'S DANCING SCHOOL—Adults class Tues. and Thurs. evenings. Children's stage dancing classes Thurs., 4 to 6. Merrimack hall, 212 Mer'k st.

BAY STATE DANCING SCHOOL. Modern Ballroom Dancing. Class and private lessons every afternoon and evening. Tel. Miss Gerrish, 6416.

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PETS 65

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CANARIES for sale—Young birds, all good singers, $5 and up; also females for breeding, 13 Fourth st.

FEMALE HOTSMANTON CANARIES for sale, cages, low prices, 259 Lakeview ave.

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ARTICLES FOR SALE 72

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS—All hand painted. Small or large orders. Holiday cards for business firms a specialty; also place cards, book marks, ivory painting, etc. Will call to show samples by appointment. For information call 5074-J or 108 Laurier st.

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PARLOR STOVE for sale, 24 Wilder st. Ring top bell.

SEWING MACHINE for sale, in good condition. Call at 68 Appleton st.

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BOOKS of all kinds bought, sold and exchanged at McGuann's, cor. Appleton and South sts. Tel. 8303.

BAKER'S MILL END STORE, 641 Merrimack st.

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CORD WOOD of all kinds, sawed if desired; prompt delivery. Amasa A. Brown, 73 Inland st. Tel. 2320.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS 80

MAHOGANY UPRIGHT PIANO and Victrola for sale; also best line of player rolls, at 704 Bridge st.

FOR BEST VALUES in upright piano, call at Trumbell's, 101 Westford st.

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NOVELTIES—Stationery, toilet articles, tobacco, ice cream and candy. Walk a square and save money. Anthony Olszanski, 110 Lakeview ave.

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SAFETY RAZOR BLADES—Our expert resharpens all kinds, making them as good as new. Single edge 2 cents, double edge 3½ cents each. Howard Apothecary, 197 Central st.

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SUITS of all kinds to let. Tailor, 24 Middle st.

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ROOMS FOR RENT 90

STEAM HEATED ROOMS to let, 109 Third st. Home privileges, everything modern, reasonable prices.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let for light housekeeping. Apply 85 Gorham st.

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FURNISHED ROOMS to let for light housekeeping. Inquire 33 Tyler st.

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HALF DOUBLE HOUSE to let; all modern improvements. Apply 203 Moore st

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5-ROOM TENEMENTS to let, good condition and location. Apply 37 Madison st, or 467 Gorham st. after 6 p.m.

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TWO TENEMENTS to let, of 5 rooms each, one with bath and set tubs. Rents $5 and $3 week. 65 Railroad st.

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7-ROOM TENEMENT to let, 40 Royal st., all on one floor, modern plumbing. All improvements. $36. Tel. 5983.

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5-ROOM TENEMENT to let on Washington st, bath and pantry, hot and cold water. Apply Chas. Richards, 37 Ware st. Tel. 4732-M.

HOUSES FOR RENT 95

CENTRALVILLE—Nice 6-room cottage, nice garden and large hen house, hot and cold water and bath. Inquire Henry Gillan, 208 Coburn st.

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WANTED TO RENT 98

WANT TO BUY a small variety store from owner. Give full particulars and lowest price. Write N-68, Sun Office.

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HOUSES FOR SALE 101

SCHOOL ST. NEAR LIBERTY—2-tenement house, 6 and 6 rooms and toilets. A little money sunk into improvements will make this an excellent investment. Terms to suit buyer. No reasonable offer refused. Write Box S-192, this office.

ST. MARGARET'S PARISH—Two apartment house of 4 and 7 rooms, one bath, some hard wood floors, unusually large yard, abundance of fruit. Owner has been asking $4500, but will refuse no reasonable offer. Byam Bros., 97 Central street. Phone 6030.

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9-TENEMENT HOUSE on Adams st., near Broadway, for sale; rents for year $1131. Price $6200; $1000 cash down. Inquire Glavis Bros., 479 Market st.

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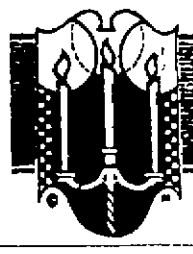

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING HINTS

Below will be found a variety of Christmas Gift Suggestions and Offerings from local shops:

Xmas Gift Suggestions

BOOK ENDS—Our assortment of artistic book ends is the most complete stock in Lowell. Prince's Gift Shop, 108 Merrimack st.

SMOKING SETS—By giving him one of these he wouldn't drop ashes on your rugs. See us. Prince's Gift Shop, 108 Merrimack st.

CANDLE STICKS—Of decorative value to the home; all styles and prices. Prince's Gift Shop, 108 Merrimack st.

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JACK KNIVES—A Keen Kutter knife for Christmas will delight any boy. We have all kinds including the Boy Scout model. Duffy Brothers, 311 Bridge st.

EVER-READY FLASHLIGHTS—Complete with battery. All sizes and styles to select from. Duffy Bros., 311 Bridge st.

POCKET KNIVES—Keen Kutter, the best in the world. Pearl handled, two bladed. Always a good gift for a man. We have a big assortment. Duffy Bros., 311 Bridge st.

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Xmas Gift Suggestions

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CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS — Carpet sweepers, $1.45; sleds, $1.75; pedestals, oak and mahogany, $4.60; tabourettes, 49c; smoking stands, oak and mahogany, $1.75 and up; sewing stands, $3.75; also fancy rockers and furniture pieces for every room at bargain prices. Lowell Furniture Co., 641 Merrimack st.

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Xmas Gift Suggestions

EVERSHARP PENCILS—A present all women appreciate. A large assortment from which to select. Prince's Arcade, 108 Merrimack st., 55 Middle street.

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BOOKS—If she reads the latest books. That's enough. We have them. Prince's Arcade, 108 Merrimack st., 55 Middle st.

FOUNTAIN PENS—Perhaps you would get more letters if you gave her a new fountain pen. We carry all the leading makes. Prince's Arcade, 108 Merrimack st., 55 Middle st.

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SEWING MACHINE BARGAINS—We will allow $25 off for your old sewing machine from the price of any new machine on the floor. White Sewing Machine Co., 17 Thorndike st.

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Cottage House of Eight Rooms—Pantry and bath. House in excellent condition. Immediate occupancy given. Price $3200

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Legal Notices

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by Tempest C. Garbutt, Trustee, to the City Institution for Savings, Trustee under a Deed of Trust given by Katharine Tucke, et al. to it, dated May 22, 1917, recorded with Middlesex North District Deeds, Book 571, Page 346, said mortgage being dated May 21, 1920, recorded with said Deeds, Book 675, Page 543, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at Public Auction on the premises hereinafter described on WEDNESDAY, THE TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1921, AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M., all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to-wit:—

"The land in said Lowell, situated on the northeasterly side of Merrimack street, the northwesterly side of Bridge street and the southwesterly side of Paige street, containing 8,180.7 square feet, being shown on a plan entitled, 'Plan of Land in Lowell, Mass., belonging to the City Institution for Savings, Trustee,' surveyed June 16, 1919, by Smith and Brooks, C. E.'s, which plan is to be recorded herewith, and this bounded: Southwesterly on said Merrimack street, sixty-five and 13-100 feet; Southeasterly on said Bridge street, seventy-nine and 87-100 feet; Northeasterly on said Paige street, ninety-four and 95-100 feet; and Northwesterly on land supposed to belong to the heirs of Edward T. Bowell, now or formerly, by three courses, thirty-four and 84-100 feet, seven and 03-100 feet, and seventy-six and 15-100 feet; be said contents or any or all of said measurements more or less and however otherwise said premises may be measured, bounded or described. Being the same premises to me conveyed by said Institution, Trustee, by deed dated May 21, 1920, and to be recorded herewith.

This conveyance is made with the benefit of and subject to the party wall agreement in said deed referred to, and subject also to the sidewalk restrictions mentioned or referred to in said deed to me, and subject also to a prior mortgage given by me in the principal sum of $250,000 to said City Institution for Savings of even date and to be recorded herewith."

Said premises will be sold subject to the above mentioned prior mortgage to said City Institution for Savings, (which said prior mortgage is for $225,000 and accrued interest), to the sidewalk restrictions above referred to, and with the benefit of and subject to the above mentioned party wall agreement; and subject also to all unsatisfied or outstanding tax titles, municipal or other public taxes, assessments, liens or claims in the nature of liens, if any there are.

Terms: $12,000 cash to be paid at the time and place of sale; other terms to be announced at the sale.

CITY INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS, TRUSTEE.
Mortgagee and Present Holder of Said Mortgage.
By Frank W. Hurd, Treasurer.
Lowell, Mass., December 1, 1921.
d2-9-16

SUN CLASSIFIED ADS BRING RESULTS

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

Court Demands Doctor's Certificate to Prove Alleged Illness of Absent Witness

Charles Dardas, charged with illegal keeping of liquor, did not appear when his name was called in the district court today. In his stead a brother appeared, who said Charles was ill. When the brother admitted he did not have a doctor's certificate, Judge Enright ordered him to go out, procure same and return with it.

The continued case of Hipolite Geoffrey, a watchman employed by the Boston & Maine railroad, who was charged with stealing 100 pounds of brass from the Boston & Maine, was continued until tomorrow pending arrangements for restitution of the property, between the defendant, who pleaded guilty, and the plaintiff.

According to the evidence the defendant admitted he had been taking brass and copper for the last two months, from what he thought was a junk pile. He then sold it to a junk dealer. The company traced the stolen property and agreed to give the dealers $26 for it. It is expected the matter will be patched up between the parties by tomorrow.

In passing, Judge Enright was curious to know how junk dealers could recover for stolen property. It was explained to the court the dealers had an agreement with the police that they were to report all goods of a suspicious nature to them. The court allowed the matter to slip along, but remarked he did not quite understand how a party receiving stolen goods could ask for a reimbursement.

Harold Thompson of Quincy, who had been arrested on the complaint of Mrs. Mary Conway of 102 Third street, for alleged stealing of her watch and chain and a suitcase belonging to her husband, was allowed to go free by Judge Enright when it became known restitution had been made by the young man's father.

John Marla pleaded guilty to a charge of keeping liquor and unlawfully exposing same for sale. He was fined $100 which he paid. Officer William J. Kenney was the complainant.

A charge of drunkenness against William White was placed on file, while a complaint of non-support against Abbey Cohen of Boston, by his wife, was continued until Dec. 13.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to our many friends, relatives, neighbors, and also the employes of the clothroom of the U. S. Bunting Co., for their kind acts, floral offerings and spiritual bouquets during our recent bereavement caused by the death of our dear son and brother.

MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL CROWLEY AND FAMILY.

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We wish to express our appreciation of the many evidences of sympathy, floral offerings and spiritual bouquets and kind acts by our relatives and friends, shown and received during our recent bereavement.

MRS. MARY LIVESEY,
JAMES LIVESEY,
MRS. CATHERINE FLIGG.

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If elected, will support the Teachers in every conscientious effort to do good work. He has been a Teacher himself.

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AUCTION SALE

SATURDAY, DEC. 10, 1921, at 10 A. M.

At Victor Pigeon's Garage, known as the Hall Street Garage, 206 Hall Street

Having sold my garage, consisting of good-will and lease, I shall sell at public auction, in lots to suit the purchaser, all its equipment, consisting of a full line of Ford parts, pistons, piston rings (all sizes), lamp cords, fan belts for all makes of cars, ignition wire, spark plugs, new Ford engine, grease guns, gaskets for all makes of cars, wrenches, horns, Permelock patches, blow-out patches, radiator hose (all sizes), brake lining, lenses, rubber mats, headlights, tail lamps, spot lights, Ford magneto tester, Ford bearing reamer, Hoyt generator and battery tester, lot of Standard tires, all sizes (mostly cord), tubes, Hotshot batteries, Weed chains, cans of grease, oil, alcohol, Ford radiators (all new and guaranteed by factory) ignition parts, mirrors, switches, swivel joints, Simplex ball truss bearings, brake rivets, valve grinder, etc.

One platform body that will fit any chassis, 1 Ford light delivery body, 1 7-passenger Hudson 6-40, just overhauled, 1 Jeffrey touring car, 1 Maxwell touring car, 1 Ford speed car, 1 late 1920 Hudson Super Six as good as new, all new cord tires, guaranteed same as new car; 1 horsehide auto robe, safeguard check writer that cost $65.

Everything in auto supplies will be found at this sale, all to be sold to the highest bidder, for cash.

Per order. VICTOR PIGEON, Treasurer.

By J. E. CONANT & CO ..... Auctioneers
OFFICE LOWELL MASSACHUSETTS

EXCEPTIONAL

Seventeen baling presses—eight Logemann brand new latest type hydraulic oil operated, and one Logemann late type screw operated, and eight Jones link belt operated, and each one of these 17 presses is motor driven; 12 sets brand new Toledo-Automatic and Kron-Springlegs dormant and platform scales; four brand new International employes newest type time clocks, six electric motors—from 4 h.p. to 20 h.p.; Brunner Air Compressor motor driven unit—on platform truck; Bowser self-measuring three tank unit; four bale tie straightening and tie rivetting machines; 57 Howe two-wheeled freight trucks; 67 large and small portable bin sorting trucks; 400 000 Dennison and other standard stock tags; 522 brand new and used baskets; 1000 pounds Ludlow and New Bedford twine and lathyarn; and 40 tons steam coal—in fact all the personal property upon the premises of the practically new and up to the minute waste plant-warehouse property of the William C. Jones Company at New Bedford Massachusetts—as set forth in much detail in catalogue form and all is pledged without limit or reserve at unrestricted and unprotected public sale to the highest bonafide bidders who comply with the Terms and Conditions of Sale—free from encumbrance, and in lots to suit purchasers. The catalogue is free upon application by mail or otherwise at the office of the Auctioneers, where all inquiries must be made. The sale will take place upon the premises herein named on Thursday the 15th day of December, 1921, regardless of any condition of the weather and commencing very promptly at half-past one o'clock in the early afternoon.

ARTHUR BLACK
DAVID STONEMAN
ALEXANDER WHITESIDE
Trustees in Bankruptcy of the William C. Jones Co.

CHRISTMAS EVE PLANS

Hour for Community Singing Advanced Two Hours—Municipal Christmas Tree

The municipal Christmas tree in front of city hall will be in place on Tuesday, December 20, according to the park department's plans, and in readiness for decoration. The Christmas trees of the past have been very attractive, and Supt. Kernan is hopeful of making this year's tree the best of all.

The hour for community singing on Christmas eve, one of the most enjoyable features of the annual program, has been advanced two hours, since many of those who reside in the more distant sections have advocated the fixing of an earlier time, that they may be able to reach home at a more seasonable hour. The singing will start therefore, at 6.30, whereas in the past it has begun at 11.30. Albert Edmund Brown will lead the community singing. In the afternoon at 4.30 o'clock there will be singing by the school children, under the direction of Singing Instructor Fred O. Blunt.

Skating at Shedd park is being eagerly anticipated, for Supt. Kernan is receiving communications daily, asking when the park will be flooded. Many think that the present cold spell presents an excellent opportunity to start the skating season, but the superintendent thinks it will be better to wait until there are unmistakable indications of a protracted cold spell.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CREAMER—The funeral of Mrs. Frances Creamer will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 61 Highland avenue. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Margaret's church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

SARGENT—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine B. Sargent will take place Saturday morning at 8.15 o'clock, from her home, 122 Coburn street. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Funeal Director James W. McKenna.

DAVIS—In Lakeport, N. H., Dec. 8, Albert T. L. Davis, aged 60 years. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the chapel of Funeral Director John A. Weinbeck, 42 Middlesex street. Burial private. Friends are kindly requested not to send flowers.

STODDARD—In this city, Dec. 8, at his home, 23 Fourth avenue, George B. Stoddard, aged 72 years, 23 days. Funeral services at his home, 19 Fourth avenue, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice. Burial private. Undertaker George W. Healey.

CHARNLEY—In this city, Dec. 8, at his home, 571 School street, John M. Charnley, aged 67 years 3 months 18 days. Funeral services at the funeral church, 236 Westford street, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice. Burial private. Undertaker George W. Healey.

PAGE—Died in South Chelmsford, Dec. 8, Miss Mabel E. Page, aged 39 years 4 months and 26 days, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter F. Bills. Funeral services will be held at the home of her sister Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

O'LOUGHLIN—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret O'Loughlin will take place Saturday morning from her late home, 12 Hazel street, at 8 o'clock. At the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

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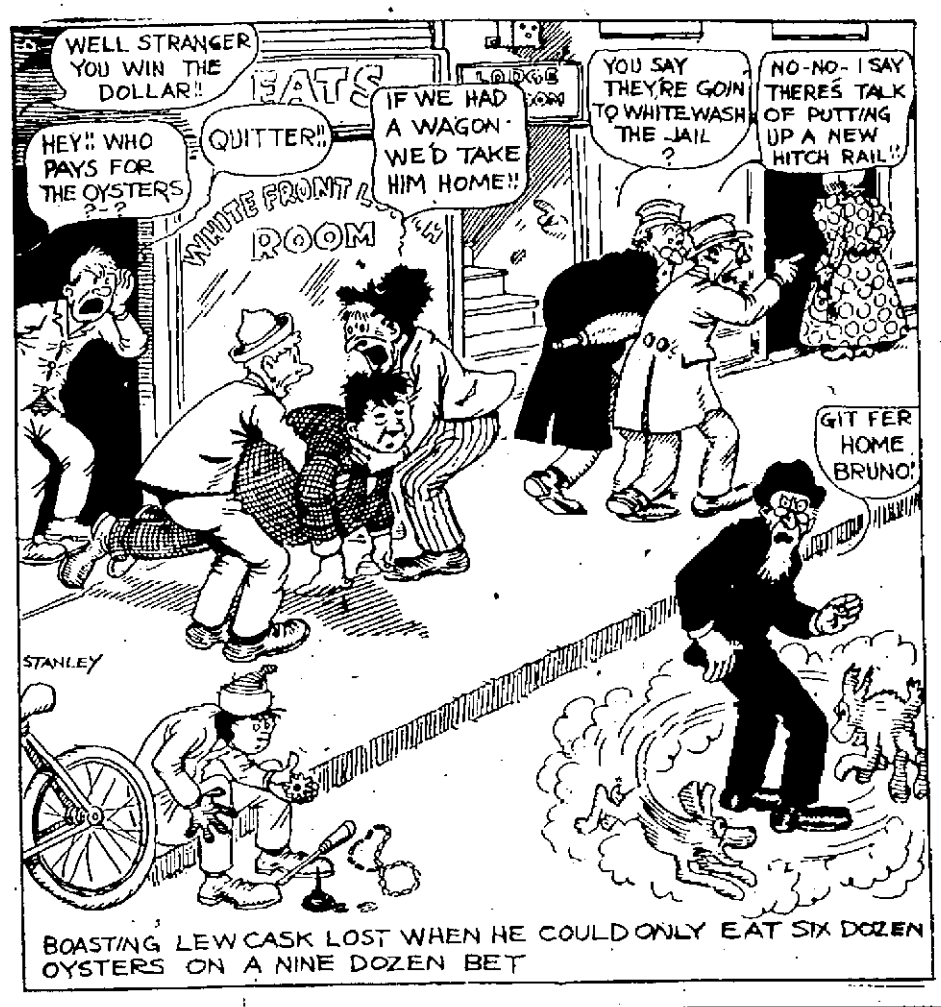

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CIVIL SERVICE MAKES NEW DEMAND

A new command from the civil service authorities has been received by Denis A. Murphy, commissioner of streets and highways. This time the civil service people have instructed the commissioner to make out his department pay-rolls so that the civil service registration number of each man will appear beside his name.

Mr. Murphy is quite concerned about this new order, for it will require the services of another clerk to attend to the unaccustomed details. The authorities, nevertheless, are firm in their insistence.

DEATHS

PAGE—Died in South Chelmsford, Dec. 8, Miss Mabel E. Page, aged 39 years 4 months and 26 days, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter F. Bills. She is survived by a brother, Herbert Page of Chelmsford, and a sister, Mrs. Walter F. Bills. Miss Page was a member of the Highland Congregational church.

M'NAMARA—The funeral of Thomas F. McNamara, Jr., took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Thomas F. and Elizabeth Tierney McNamara, 14 Auburn street, and was largely attended. Burial took place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

MERRILL—The funeral services of Mrs. Elizabeth S. Merrill were held yesterday afternoon at Saunders' funeral home, 217 Appleton street, and were largely attended. Rev. J. Cecil Hayes, pastor of the Paige Street Baptist church, officiated. There was appropriate singing by Mrs. Fred L. Roberts. The floral tributes were many. The bearers were Rev. Charles L. Fowler, Daniel P. Knowlton, Frederick W. Derbyshire and Oscar Howe. Burial took place in the family lot in the Edson cemetery where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Hayes. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

O'LOUGHLIN—Mrs. Margaret O'Loughlin, a former well known resident of St. Patrick's parish, died yesterday noon at her home, 12 Hazel street, after a lingering illness. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband: Coleman O'Loughlin; one sister, Mrs. Catherine Carroll of this city; also one sister, Ellen, and one brother, John McKerin, both of Ireland.

DAVIS—Albert T. L. Davis, a former resident of Lowell, died yesterday in Lakeport, N. H., aged 60 years. He was a member of Mt. Lebanon lodge, 32, A.F. and A.M., and Chapter council and commandery of New Hampshire. He leaves several cousins in this city.

FUNERALS

HATHAWAY—The funeral services of Ernest E. Hathaway were held yesterday afternoon at the rooms of Undertaker W. Herbert Blake. Dr. Edward Babcock, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. The Machinists' union was represented by Robert Holmes, Charles Jones, Albert Farnsworth and John J. McArdle, who acted as bearers. The flowers were numerous. Burial was in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery where a delegation of Passaconaway tribe, 32, of Red Men, Fred Santon, Willis H. Holt, Edward O'Brien and George Chapman, read the burial service of their order, and the committal services were read by Dr. Babcock.

BOARKE—The funeral of Cornelius Boarke took place this morning at 8.20 o'clock from his late home, 76 Tuffer ave. and was largely attended. A funeral high mass was celebrated in St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. James Lynch. The church choir sang the Gregorian chant, the soloists were Miss Margaret Griffin and Mr. Thomas P. Boulger, Mrs. Ella Reilly Toye was the organist. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. James Lynch read the burial services. The bearers were Messrs. James Duddy, Christie Mitchell, James Sullivan, John Fraizer, Michael Mitchell and Thomas Reed. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

BEAUDETTE—The funeral of Mrs. Alexandre Beaudette took place this morning from her home in North Chelmsford. High mass of requiem was celebrated at St. John's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Linehan. The choir under the direction of Miss A. M. Heaney, who also presided at the organ, rendered the Gregorian chant. The bearers were Louis Trudeau, H. Boucher, F. Proulx, A. Magnan, Eugene Rodrigue and C. D. McMullin. Attending the funeral from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Jacques and Mrs. Alfred Morrissette of Biddeford, Me., Mrs. Donal Noel of Manchester, N. H., Mrs. J. Blouin and Miss Blanche Blouin of Canada, Mr. and Mrs. V. Morin and Mrs. A. Beaudette of this city. The body was placed in the receiving tomb in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

O'CONNOR—The funeral of Mrs. Mary O'Connor took place this morning at 9.20 o'clock from her late home, 43 Plummer avenue and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to the Immaculate Conception church where, at 10 o'clock, a solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. William A. Connor, a nephew of the deceased, from St. Paul's church, Dorchester, assisted by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O.M.I. as deacon and Rev. Fr. Norton, O.M.I. as sub-deacon. Very Rev. L. P. Tighe, O.M.I. occupied a seat in the sanctuary. The choir, directed by Mrs. Hugh Walker, sang the Gregorian mass, the solos being sustained by the different members of the choir. Notwithstanding a request from the family to omit flowers, there were many beautiful offerings, also many spiritual remembrances from sympathizing relatives and friends. The bearers were Messrs. Anthony McCarren, Daniel H. Sullivan, Matthias Connor, Frank Duggin, James Farley and James O'Connor. Interment was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery where Rev. Fr. Connor, assisted by Rev. Fr. McQuaid, O.M.I. conducted the committal service at the grave. Funeral Director James W. McKenna in charge.

PATTEN—The funeral of Marcellus Adams Patten took place yesterday afternoon from his former home in Tewksbury. Services were held with Rev. Sarah A. Dixon officiating. Selections were sung by the Mendelssohn quartet. Present at the services were delegates from the following organizations with which deceased was affiliated: Pentucket lodge, A.F. and A. M., Mt. Horeb Royal Arch chapter, Ahasuerus council, Pilgrim commandery, Gardeners' and Florists' club of Boston, American Carnation society, Horticultural society and Society of American Florists. There were numerous floral offerings. The bearers were George E. Buxton, Peter Fisher, Alonzo Kittier, Lucius A. Derby, Thomas Moriarity and William R. Millett. Burial took place in the Lowell cemetery. The arrangements were in charge of Benjamin J. Spaulding, under the direction of Undertaker H. Louis Farmer.

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CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Department Bills Examined and Approved—Personal Injury Claims Presented

The approval of bills from the various departments was the chief purpose of a meeting of the city council today. Owing to the absence of Mayor Thompson, this work could not be completed, but a considerable portion of the accumulation of bills was approved.

At 12.03 Commissioner Marchand called to order, with Commissioners Donnelly, Murphy and Salmon answering the roll-call. Mr. Marchand stated that the first business in order was the approval of bids. After the bills had been examined by the commissioners it was voted to approve them, and the city clerk was instructed to issue a warrant on the city treasurer for their payment.

A claim from Jeremiah D. Sullivan was read, stating that on January 4, 1921, at the West Sixth street pumping station he had met with an accident which resulted in the loss of the two middle fingers of his right hand, the accident occurring while he was at work. He petitioned for a hearing. The claim was referred to the mayor and city solicitor.

A claim from Hyman Snyder, for damage to property amounting to $25, was also referred to the mayor and city solicitor. Mr. Snyder claims that on December 1, 1921, a falling chimney at the Branch street engine house damaged a shoe machine on his property. A charge for labor in clearing away the ruins was included in the sum demanded.

John J. Reilly et al. petitioned for the acceptance of Porter terrace. An order providing for the acceptance of Porter terrace accompanied the petition, and both were ordered to lie in the city clerk's office for seven days, as provided in the charter.

A similar petition from Fisher H. Pearson, for the acceptance of Pawtucket avenue was accompanied by an order for acceptance. These documents were also relegated to the city clerk's office for the required period.

The meeting adjourned to Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 10 a. m.

STEPHEN B. PUFFER DEAD

Well Known Citizen Died Suddenly Today as Result of Heart Trouble

Stephen B. Puffer, a well known and highly respected resident of this city, a former member of the old board of aldermen and prominent business man, died suddenly this morning at his home, 942 Middlesex street. Mr. Puffer was seized with a weak spell at about 11 o'clock and Dr. Gardner was summoned, but despite the efforts of the physician, he passed away a few minutes later, death being due to heart trouble.

Mr. Puffer was 78 years and 11 months old. He had been a resident of this city practically all his life. For severa years he was a member of For several years he was a member of in crockery in Central street and was also interested in a manufacturing concern, which was located in Tanner street. In politics he was a republican and for eight years he served his city as a member of the board of aldermen under the old charter.

Deceased is survived by his wife, Mrs. Edna A. Puffer; three daughters, Mrs. Loring L. Trull, Miss Elsie M. Puffer and Mrs. Clyde T. Timble; two grandsons, Wyman Trull and Donald N. Timble, all of this city. He was a 32d degree Mason and was also connected with Pentucket lodge, A.F. and A.M., Mt. Horeb, Royal Arch chapter; Ahasuerus council and Pilgrim commandery.

THE GREEK COMMUNITY

No Attempt Being Made to Bring Liberal Wing Back to the Church

"We are not opposing any men or faction to build a church in this city, and as to the members of the Liberal wing, I will say that no efforts are being made on the part of the directors of the community to bring them back to the church. Whenever they are ready to apply for reinstatement as members of the community, they may file their application with the board of directors and the matter will be decided upon by the voters of the community at a meeting to be called by the president as soon as it is convenient."

This statement was given out today by President James Danas, of the local Greek community, who added that the members of the Plato club mean well enough in attempting to bring about a reconciliation, but they are acting on their own initiative, he said.

In discussing community matters Mr. Danas said there was a mass meeting in the basement of the church in Jefferson street last evening for the purpose of discussing means of raising funds to pay off the school and other debts including the cost of the recent trial at the civil session of the superior court at which a verdict of $1000 was rendered against the community, this action having been brought against the men in office last year. He said some members of the so-called liberal wing attempted to discuss other matters at the meeting, but they were unsuccessful. "We assembled to talk money matters," he said, "and not to discuss politics." Mr. Danas also stated that in order to avoid trouble he brought the meeting to a close and announced that the directors would later make public their program relative to the raising of funds.

Relative to the resignation of the school board as announced in a morning paper, Mr. Danas stated that three members of the board have dropped out and their places will be filled at once by the first three who received the greatest number of votes at the annual election last May. Mr. Danas stated that the directors of the community have already subscribed $150 towards a special fund, which they are attempting to raise and they hope that within a short time the fund will reach the sum of $5,000. In concluding he said under no consideration will he discuss the reinstatement of the men who have been expelled from the community electorate. "Let them apply for reinstatement," he continued, "and the community as a body will discuss the matter at a public meeting."

FEWER ARRESTS FOR DRUNKENNESS

A report of probation officer Joseph L. Cronin shows there were 138 cases of drunkenness handled during the month of November. Of these 134 were males and the remaining four females. These figures show a decrease over the previous month by 17 cases. During the month of October there were 155 cases including 144 males and 11 females.

The record for last month is better than for the month of November last year. In that month there were 142 cases of which 135 were males. During December last year there were 165 cases of which 162 were males.

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